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LOCAL AND GENERAL ITEMS

Constable Joe Kelly, of Pincher Creek, is taking a two weeks' holiday.

There's nothing crooked in Blairmore. Even the telephone poles are straight.

Walter Elliott, Scotland's secretary of state, will probably visit Canada in September.

A marriage of considerable interest to the Crows' Nest Pass is expected to take place at Hillcrest very shortly.

Local Communists held a rally and picnic on the grounds of the residence of O. M. Olsen on Wednesday afternoon and evening.

The reason that so few Scotch girls get married in the Crows' Nest Pass is that their dads, over in Scotland, refuse to give them away.

The members of the Hillcrest Fish and Game Association held a very successful outing on the North Fork, near Burton's, on Sunday last.

Because certain notices sent out by the government at Edmonton were in mimeograph form, they were justly treated as of little value or importance.

The Coal Creek mine rescue team won the 16th annual competition of the East Kootenay Mine Safety Association with a perfect score of 100 per cent.

And now we hear that Mr. Byrne, the Social Credit expert, thinks the most of the Alberta press is "bad." If it's as bad as Mr. Byrne's economic theories it must be awful.—Lethbridge Herald.

A protest meeting is being held in Macleod tomorrow evening of representatives from all districts west of Lethbridge to protest against the larger school unit. Anyone interested is welcome to attend.

Archie Ferguson, well known booster and traveller of Hogg-Konk, Calgary, was a visitor to The Pass this week. Mr. Ferguson is representing British Industries, Limited.

Owing to a landslide on the C.P.R. main line on Wednesday, caused by heavy rains, main line trains were routed through the Crows' Nest way yesterday. It is hoped to have traffic on the main line restored today.

A local citizen remarked the other day: "I'd have faith in Aberhart if he'd volunteer to having his salary reduced to say \$5,000 a year—just to show the people that he really had their interest at heart, instead of his own pocket."

According to Mr. Aberhart, every adult in Alberta will receive dividends, except those who in the government's opinion are not in need of them. If we were drawing down just one-tenth of the premier's income, we would not want what was not earned by us.

Miss Glens Ferguson suffered two broken legs in an unusual accident at Byemore, July 7. Miss Ferguson got out of her father's car to open a barbed wire gate for him. As he drove through, while she held the gate, the bumper caught it and knocked her down. The gate pole was across her legs, and as the car wheels passed over it, the pressure broke her legs.

Mrs. Destobel, well known Coleman lady, passed away on Saturday last following an operation for gonorrhea. She was but 37 years of age. Funeral was held on Wednesday afternoon with service at St. Alban's church conducted by Rev. A. S. Farington. The remains were laid to rest in the union cemetery. A. E. Ferguson, of the Crows' Nest Funeral Home, was in charge of arrangements. Mrs. Destobel is survived by her husband and two sons and two daughters between the ages of 11 and 19 years.

TRY OUR SOCIETY PRINTING

MINER SUICIDES

AT MAPLE LEAF

The lifeless body of Joseph Balog, a Bellevue miner, was found hanging to a beam by wire at his home on Saturday at 1.30. Deceased had been acting strangely for some time past, but no one suspected him to be dangerous. He had secured some hay wire to the beam with the other end around his neck, and from all appearances it was a clear case of suicide. Inquest was not considered necessary.

The late Mr. Balog had been a resident of the district for about seven years, and had been employed as a miner up to the time of his death. He was a native of Hungary, where it is understood he leaves a wife and family. It is thought he has a brother at Milk River. Mrs. Lesson, who left for Winnipeg the day previous, is a relative.

The remains were taken in charge by A. E. Ferguson, of the Crows' Nest Funeral Home, and removed to Blairmore. Funeral took place on Tuesday morning. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery following service in St. Cyril's church at 10 a.m., conducted by Rev. Father O'Dea. The funeral was largely attended.

THE NEW SOCIAL CREDIT

PLEDGE OF UNITY

A new "pledge of unity" is being presented by the Social Credit League of Alberta to all citizens who are interested in the furtherance of the Social Credit programme of this province. Copies of the pledge are being circulated to all group members. The pledge reads as follows:

1. I know that Alberta is naturally one of the richest places in the world.
2. That there is plenty of employable idle people.
3. I demand that these be encouraged to produce with the aid of our many idle, and partly idle machines, such goods as will justify the issue of a dividend of \$25 a month to every bona fide citizen and secure to them a lower cost to live.
4. And I will vote to defeat every candidate for every office who refuses to vote consistently against any party who opposes this my policy.
5. And I wish to be an Associate Member of the above League, for which I now subscribe 25 cents.

Up Carbondale River a few days ago, a Blairmore Waltonian had a very narrow escape from death when his hook caught in a small twig. In trying to release the hook, a rock weighing about half a ton dropped from a cliff, landing at the fisherman's feet and missing him by but a few inches.

For years Blairmore had in its population two J. A. McDonalds, and the only way possible to avoid mixup of mail matter was to refer to one as John A. McDonald and to the other as J. Angus McDonald. Now a similar problem arises. Blairmore has two J. R. McLeods, and to make a distinction between the two, one may have to change his name from "McLeod" to "Macleod"—or otherwise get married. Both originated at Springhill, Nova Scotia.

We have often wondered who was going to pay the dividends that have been promised so often—and now we are enlightened, and the mystery is solved. The government can't pay them, and the farmers can't pay them, so they are going to order the Banks to do so. What a relief—we had thought that what we all would have to pay them, but no—they have notified the branch managers of chartered banks by rubber stamp signature, that they are on the "spot." Next week's meeting of the Legislature may mean anything, but one thing is assured, it will add to the lack of confidence, tighten up spending money, and add more to the unemployment problem.—Pincher Creek Echo.

PLAN TO FINISH

ROADS PROGRAM

Despite setbacks due to some sections of highways having to be reconstructed after being damaged by traffic operations during recent heavy rains, the provincial public works department expects to complete its program of 150 miles of "blotter" surfacing this year, according to Hon. W. A. Falloy, minister in charge.

Officials of the Alberta Motor Association, which has long advocated hard surfacing of provincial highways, have been advised that the province intends to make every possible effort to finish its 1937 program.

The minister has estimated that repairing of damaged highways will mean an additional cost of \$150,000 this year. These were main highways damaged during the early July rains.

Nevertheless, he says, "blotter," or hard surfacing will be proceeded with just as soon as various sections are ready for this treatment.

During his recent holiday trip through the United States, Mr. Falloy found that Alberta's system of first constructing a consolidated base was quite in accordance with the general practice south of the border.

Highway work is proceeding in all parts of the province and good progress has already been reported so far for July.

DON'T READ THIS —

IT'S PERSONAL

There has never been a newspaper printed that satisfied everybody. But there is a very simple method by which better newspapers can be produced and that is for those who subscribe to them to take an individual interest in seeing that they get more local and personal news. Not that you are expected to become a reporter or when you become a subscriber, but because the newspaper stands as the exponent of all that is good for your community, and because, civic pride should, therefore, lead you to encourage such an institution.

If you have visitors, if you have been on a visit, or if you are going on one, your neighbors are sure to be interested in knowing about it. Tell them through your home town paper. Every little item of a local or personal nature helps just that much to make a still better newspaper, and getting it to the editor requires very little exertion on your part.

That is how you can help make your newspaper more interesting, and you are invited to start doing so at once.

A Scotchman of the real mean type was noticed fishing in The Gap on Sunday. He had neither rod, line, hook, basket, reel or license, while his mouth gripped a large-bowled pipe. Of course, he had nae fash!

The age of the oldest rocks found on earth has not definitely been settled. Geologists estimate it at somewhere between 25,000,000 and 1,000,000,000 years. Of course, they may be a few days out in their reckoning. Anyway, they are not just as "accurate" in their statements as Alberta's premier.

Members of her sewing club gathered at the Greenhill Grill on Wednesday at 1 p.m. to honor Miss Madeline Chardon, whose marriage will take place shortly. Before sitting down to a dainty luncheon, Mrs. Idris Evans presented Miss Chardon with a silver etched dish. After lunch, they adjourned to the rotunda of the Greenhill hotel, where bridge was played during the afternoon, honors going to Miss Chardon and Miss Baird. Those present were Mrs. R. C. Old, Mrs. E. Scrane, Mrs. I. Evans, Mrs. L. Richards (Coleman), Mrs. W. Jones (Coleman), Misses M. Chardon, M. Baird and R. Duncan.

BANKS TOLD MUST ASSIST

CALGARY, July 26.—"If bank experts cannot formulate a plan to assist in establishing Social Credit in Alberta, provincial government experts can help them to do so," Premier Aberhart said Sunday in an address at his Calgary Prophetic Bible Institute.

"I can see no reason why our request, clearly stated in our letter, can not be undertaken," the premier asserted, regarding a circular letter the government sent last week to all branches of all banks operating in Alberta, asking for co-operation in steps to inaugurate Social Credit.

"I therefore feel satisfied our banks will comply since we promise they will not be losers in any respect," he continued.

"There would be no election in Alberta until the majority of citizens begin knocking the government; the government plans ultimately to eliminate property taxes; our institutions must serve the people, or they are in our way; the government has a perfect right to know who hold the province's bonds, and citizens should take a definite stand either as knockers or boosters of the Social Credit government."

"The day is not far distant when there will be a new attitude to our work—when men will start to make living better for all, rather than to hoard up for themselves."

BANKS WILLING TO CO-OPERATE

TORONTO, July 27.—Alberta may count upon the willingness of Canadian banks to serve the government and people of the province, and continuance of the banks' provisions of the Canadian Bank Act and in keeping with principles of sound banking.

This assurance was given by Sidney H. Logan, president of the Canadian Bankers' Association, in reply to the circular letter to branch banks in Alberta issued by the Alberta provincial treasurer.

Mr. Logan stated: "It is not clear from the letter from the provincial treasurer to the banks, just what is expected of them. Notwithstanding the difficulties caused by the depression, which has affected the situation throughout the world, and despite the drought conditions which are largely local, the Canadian banks have been functioning in Alberta as well as they were able to do under existing circumstances."

"They have always been ready and willing to make their facilities available to the governments and public of the provinces insofar as the services they are asked to perform are within the provisions of the Canadian Bank Act, and in keeping with the recognized principles and practices of sound banking."

"The government of the province of Alberta may count upon a continuance of this policy and willingness thus to serve the government and the people of the province. Any concrete proposals the Alberta government may have to suggest will be given sympathetic consideration by the banks and a prompt decision will be forthcoming."

The communication to the banks asked co-operation in establishment of social credit, and commenting on it, Premier Aberhart said banks operating in Alberta would betray an "inexcusable indifference" to the welfare of the people if they refused to meet the situation at once. He commented on "such anomalies as the fact that for every dollar owed by the people of the province approximately only 20 cents with which to pay it is available to them."

Arthur Skead, former resident of River John, Nova Scotia, and former member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, of Kimberley, B.C., and his nine-year-old son, were killed in a motor accident in California recently.

NEWSPAPERS NECESSARY

TO SAFEWAY STORES

OKANOGAN, Wash.—The success of Saway Stores is based on a few fundamentals, chief among which are knowledge to know how to buy merchandise and how to display it, and plenty of newspaper advertising to tell the people about it.

That was the formula laid down by Bruce Dennis, advertising manager for the chain of food stores, who was a recent Okanogan visitor.

"We regard newspaper advertising as an absolute necessity in the success of our business," said Mr. Dennis.

LACK OF PRESS SUPPORT

CRIPPLING IN ALBERTA

Speaking at Cayley recently, I. H. Jensen, of Boone, Iowa, made the following comment:

"I have found Alberta people much friendlier and less commercially-minded than we are down in the States. You all seem to take time to talk with a stranger without apparently reckoning on what you are going to get out of it. Of course, I don't like your roads, but I realize that this is a young country. You have the advantages of a young country in being less commercial. Bye and bye you will have good roads, but you will then start speeding up and developing the tension characteristics of the older parts of the continent."

Coming to talk of newspaper livelihood, Mr. Jensen was surprised at the half-hearted support given the press here. "I have seen several of your newspapers in Alberta, and they are of very high standard. I certainly compliment your weekly here, but you are laboring under very hard conditions. It would seem that up here the weekly press is still on a sort of charity basis, without the businessmen of the town realizing how important a medium the newspaper is, the most important element in any community."

"In our state the press is on a substantial assured footing, and its importance is fully recognized. It has sources of revenue apparently denied to the newspapers of Alberta. For one thing, the town council minutes complete are paid for. That is compulsory. It is the business of the taxpayer to know what his money is going for, and the services of publication has a definite monetary value. Municipal council meetings would go under the same head. Then we have a county administration for roads, parks, etc. A report of each meeting of this board is required to be issued in the papers having largest circulation, and this copy is paid for at a good rate. Nothing legal can be done without publication in the newspapers. The banks must issue periodic statements. And added to that is the good general advertising of merchandise."

"The room for improvement that I can see in the Alberta press, is a recognition by the public of its vital importance to the community, and the necessity for its maintenance. This is realized by our governing bodies, who go on the principle that the business of the people should be made available to the people through the press and that this service is legitimate expenditure. With us, the press is a great controlling body, disciplined within its own organization—serving as best it can to promote any good cause and maintain honest standards. But reports of business proceedings are reckoned as having a cash value to the community. I confess I do not see how you continue to publish such a high standard of newspaper with such meagre support."

Ferguson's Austen Seven is like a humming bird, it can flit backwards and forwards with lightning velocity and only consumes a gallon of gas to a forty-five-mile trip. While a guest at an hotel, like a baby carriage, the machine can be left at the foot of the stairway.

LOCAL AND GENERAL ITEMS

Frank Leary is building himself a residence near the old brewery site.

We wouldn't believe anyone in Alberta if they told us they still had faith in Aberhart.

A seventeen-year-old Calgary girl pleaded guilty to shopbreaking and has been remanded for sentence.

A California man is reported to have sold his wife for \$20. And yet there are those who say we do not need to fear inflation.

Miss Charlotte Spooner returned to Bellevue from Lethbridge yesterday, to visit for a few weeks prior to leaving to reside in Toronto.

Frank, aged 14; Joseph, 12, and Elizabeth, 10, all three children of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tolt, of Picture Butte, were drowned on Monday.

The press, the people, the banks, the experts, and probably Major Douglas, may be blamed for the failure of Social Credit theories in Alberta.

In three days' fishing, a Newfoundland schooner landed no less than 15,000 pounds of halibut. For the three-day voyage the crew earned \$129 each.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice W. Cooke and daughter Dorothy, and Mr. and Mrs. R. Lowe, of Coleman, have returned from a few days spent at the Van Maarian home in Lethbridge.

This week we received a renewal subscription from a subscriber in England who has received The Enterprise regularly for the past fifteen years, and who states he would not be without it.

Mr. and Mrs. George White and family stopped off Wednesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Bannan and other friends, returning to Medicine Hat from a holiday motor trip to Pacific coast points.

H. T. Halliwell, editor of the Coleman Express, expects to leave on Tuesday next to attend the annual convention of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association, to be held in Halifax on August 12, 13 and 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Harris were down from Michel last week end on a visit to the former's father, William ("Dad") Harrison. Following their visit here, Dad enjoyed a lovely feed of British Columbia trout.

The Morning Post, oldest newspaper in England, is being absorbed by The Daily Telegraph. The Post was the only Fleet Street newspaper to cover the American revolution. It was founded in 1772.

Picnics could not be possible without finances, any more than services in the Bible Institute could be possible without that much desired and taken collection. And the Institute service is the most commercialized of the two.

Despite the fact he says he is "as fit as a flea," Dr. A. F. Winnington-Ingram, Bishop of London, has announced his intention of retiring within eighteen months. Although 79 years of age, His Lordship plays squash racquets and field hockey.

The announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Laura Cecchini, daughter of Mrs. M. Giacomuzzi and stepdaughter of Mr. Giacomuzzi, of Blairmore, to James Evans, son of William Evans, of Coleman. The ceremony was solemnized at Calgary on November the 30th, 1936.

Eight hundred and fifty-eight head of cattle from Patricia, Alberta, were unloaded at Lundbreck on Sunday last, to be trekked to the Walrod ranch. This is a change from last year, when cattlemen of the Lundbreck district were faced with a feed shortage and were obliged to ship their cattle out.

DIXIE Plug-
the thrifty man's
tobacco-is now
cellophane-wrapped
with the easy-opening
ribbon. It stays
factory-fresh and
lasts longer.

DIXIE
PLUG SMOKING TOBACCO

Rehabilitation Versus Relief

What Western Canada needs most to-day is employment for the large army of jobless congregated in the cities and towns and scattered throughout the rural districts, and some well-defined and ambitious plan of insurance against a repetition of continued drought conditions, or at least some scheme which will mitigate the effects of future periods of inadequate moisture.

These two great needs should, if possible, be hooked up together through a program of public works designed both to alleviate the present unemployment scourge and at least reduce to a minimum tremendous crop failures losses which may, and probably will be occasioned by drought cycles in the future.

That drought will again take toll of the products of the farm in the future, distant or not so distant, there can be no doubt, for history has demonstrated without peradventure that cycles of dry years inevitably follow periods of abundant moisture and there should be no feeling of false security on the part of the residents of those sections which are this year enjoying the benefits of copious rains.

With many of its districts hard hit over a period of unprecedented length, Saskatchewan is bearing the brunt of the shock this year with a crop failure of record proportions, and part of Alberta is again feeling the weight of drought. Manitoba has escaped devastation from lack of moisture but there is no guarantee that the most easterly of the prairie provinces, along with the other two, will escape another drought debacle next year or at some future time.

Some palliative may be adopted in the form of changed cultural methods which may have some effect in ameliorating the effects of drought, but even these will not avail in the face of continued dry weather over a long period of time, and the possibility of such contingency in the future must be faced and, if possible, coped with.

Unless some project which will ensure sufficient moisture to guarantee a reasonable amount of grain and fodder crops can be devised and put into operation for use in a season of shortage, the future of agriculture on the prairies is by no means assured.

While the construction of dams on small streams and dugouts on individual farms designed to conserve waste water has some value in some seasons, they are of little use if there is no precipitation to feed them and under those conditions such schemes are merely nibbling at the problem.

What is needed is some wide-embracing project, which may, it is true, cost a lot of money, but which will provide sufficient water for irrigation on a large scale. Enormous quantities of water flow down the slopes of the Rocky Mountains into the snows melt and escape to the sea in addition to the large amount which is lost through evaporation at a season when such moisture would be a valuable aid to agriculture on the prairies. Thought should be given to the engineering and economic feasibility of capturing and impounding as much as is feasible of this lost water so that it may be turned to the needs of agriculture.

If some such scheme is found feasible the question of cost should not be allowed to stand in the way, even if it costs hundreds of millions of dollars. The loss of one single crop in Saskatchewan alone is equivalent to the disappearance of \$300,000,000 and all that implies, to say nothing of the resultant expenditure for relief, amounting to many more millions for which, under the direct relief system, there is no return.

But in addition to the dividends, which a feasible project of this nature might well be expected to yield in assured crops, a plan of this kind would also, during the construction period, provide a great deal of work for large numbers of unemployed, thus helping to solve the other great problem which still faces the peoples and governments of the country. The completion and operation of such a project, if of adequate proportions would ensure a reasonable measure of prosperity to such sections of the agricultural country as could be brought under its benefits, and this in itself would go a long way to lessen the unemployment problem in the urban centres.

Governments have too long been prone to take the easy way of tackling a big and dual problem by voting sums of money for direct relief, as a result of which the problem is no nearer to its solution than when it first reared its head several years ago and, in the meantime, millions of dollars have been expended and there is nothing to show for it.

Continuance of direct relief without exacting some return for the expenditure also creates a moral problem which will have to be solved and that is the loss of incentive to work even when it is available. Fortunately the people of the west are keenly alive also to this aspect of the question and the demand for the substitution of work with wages for direct relief, or as the mayor of one western city recently put it, "rehabilitation instead of relief", is becoming more dominant every day.

People generally realize that if private capital is unable or unwilling or afraid to provide work that it must be done by the government at least until conditions in the West have improved to such an extent that industrial confidence is restored.

"I'm afraid you'll be late at the party," remarked an elderly lady to her granddaughter. "Oh, dear, grandma," said the girl, "don't you know that in a fashionable set nobody goes to a party until everybody has got there?"

So elastic is pure wool that in a laboratory test, a single fibre of it will stretch to 170 per cent. of its length and then snap back to normal.

"This is a very small bit of chicken you have given me, waiter," complained the diner.

"Yes, sir," replied the waiter, under duress of notice anyhow, "but you will find it will take you a long time to eat it."

An observer in a two-hour tour around London counted 56 people who walked under ladders, 41 women and 15 men.

Water Transportation In North

Two Modern Vessels Now Plow

Marking a new era in water transportation to the Canadian Arctic, the flagship "Radium King" of Northern Transportation's Mackenzie River fleet, started on her maiden voyage to Fort Norman.

Of welded steel, nearly 100 feet long, with powerful Diesel engines, refrigeration chambers to carry meat, fresh vegetables and milk, electric light and steam heat, the "Radium King" is the most modern ship ever to ply the waters of the far north. She made her trial trip on Dominion Day after elaborate launching ceremonies. For the event, Hon. J. C. Bowen, lieutenant-governor of Alberta, went north by airplane with A. "Matt" Berry, famed Arctic explorer who has left the air routes to become general manager of Northern Transportation. Gilbert LaBine, discoverer of the radium deposits on Great Bear Lake and president of Eldorado, flew from the mine and mining officials, prospectors, traders, trappers and Indians for long distances around, assembled for the event.

Built originally at Sorel, Quebec, the Radium King and the sister ship, Radium Queen, were brought to Waterways, Alberta, by Canadian National Railways, sliced in sections and travelling on an entire train of flat cars. With the ships came a crew of skilled French-Canadian shipbuilders and welders from Sorel. At Waterways they assembled the Radium Queen and, on Coronation Day, the first ship had her first trial trip.

As the ice moved out, the Radium Queen with a barge securely lashed alongside carrying the Radium King, moved down the swift and twisting channels of the Athabasca to Fort Fitzgerald. There, the sections of the vessels were portaged overland for 16 miles by tractor train to the shipyards at Fort Smith. The Sorel crew built the Radium King a second time, thousands of miles from the shipyards where her keel was laid.

A Lesson For Motorists

Traffic Engineer Travelled 17,000 Miles Without Once Using Horn

Oscar Guernsey, Chicago traffic engineer, recently reported he had completed a 17,000-mile automobile trip without once using his horn. He said: "That is proof that continual horn-blowing, even in city traffic, is unnecessary to any driver obeying traffic laws."

Engineering training probably developed in this motorist a capacity for deciding promptly in an emergency. During that 17,000-mile trip no doubt he would have blasted his horn if it had been necessary to save human life or to avoid peril to himself. But he did not meet these emergencies probably because he did not dodge out of the line of traffic and sprint ahead in an attempt to gain a rod or two. He didn't cross the centre line and race up hill taking a chance that he might not meet traffic. He did not whirl around a corner and trust to luck not to kill a pedestrian crossing with the green light.

In general, this engineer, skilled in traffic safety, kept his car under control, observed reasonable regulations, had regard for the rights of others and had no need to horn-toot his way through this 17,000-mile tour. Probably he took precautions that might not reasonably be expected of any motorist.—Detroit News.

Electricity In The Sudan

Small Shock Given By Nearly Everything You Touch

Going to bed in the Sudan is apt to be exciting, if the stories of blankets electrically charged by the climate are accepted as evidence. Khartoum appears always to have had a sort of "cracking" reputation. Hair and silk clothing have been liable to respond to the touch with the crackling indications of discharging static electricity. Now it seems that blankets have taken to storing up electricity to the confusion of those who would go quietly to bed.

The phenomenon has been given official recognition, and one manifestation of it has been recorded in the May issue of the Meteorological Magazine, William D. Flower, of the Meteorological Service stationed at Khartoum, writes in that journal as follows:

"On the evening of March 6, 1937, a bed had been made up on an angareb (native bed made of rope on a wood frame-work) at about 6 p.m., just about sunset, and when the outside blanket was approached soon after 10 p.m. a spark, which appeared to be at least half an inch long, was observed to pass between it and the person's nose. A sharp prick was experienced at the tip of the nasal organ. In the case of the adjoining bed smaller sparks were observed to pass between the blankets and finger-tips, where a tingling sensation was felt."

It is confessed that such conditions are normal at least during the winter months, and it is presumed that the electricity is caused by the friction of sand particles against each other when they are driven by the wind.—London Times.

Divers Use HeLum

May Assist In Bringing Up Valuable Treasure From Sunkin Wrecks

The use by divers of helium, the non-inflammable gas employed in some airships, may be the means of bringing long-lost treasures of the sunken liner Lusitania to the surface of the Atlantic.

Two deep-sea divers at Milwaukee have been experimenting with the gas in the hope that inhalation of it will overcome "caisson bends"—crippling, sometimes fatal cramps caused by sudden changes of pressure while divers are rising from sea depths.

For almost an hour the divers, Mr. Max E. Nohl, of Milwaukee, and Captain John D. Craig, of Long Beach, California, who said they intended to dive to the Lusitania next August, remained in a chamber under a pressure of 42 pounds to the square inch—equal to the pressure of 100 feet beneath the ocean's surface. Instead of the conventional breathing mixture of oxygen and nitrogen they used almost pure helium.

It was the first time that helium had been used by a human being under pressure, according to a doctor participating in the test.—Sunday Times.

Thousand Years Ago

It is still considered something of a novelty to transport food by air. But the first air shipment of a perishable was made a thousand years ago. The Caliph of Clario craved a dish of the luscious cherries that grew in an orchard about 400 miles away. So 800 carrier pigeons were pressed into service, a small silk bag containing a single cherry being tied to each leg of each bird.

LANCERS PERFORM IN FANCY DRESS



Taken during a rehearsal for the Aldershot Horse Show, this picture shows members of the 16th Lancers guiding their horses over six young men with parasols. Judging from the postures and expressions the sextette finds the situation unhappy but comfortable.

THE WORLD'S MOST FAMOUS FLAVOR



Just A Simple Matter

Doctor Claims He Can Actually Out Your Worrying

"Cut out your worrying" is now something more than philosophic counsel of perfection or psychological advice, according to Dr. Walter Freeman of Washington, D.C. It is a simple matter of permitting a competent surgeon to operate on your imagination. Your worrying preoccupations can be exercised as easily as your vermiform appendix or your tonsils.

Dr. Freeman recently told the American Medical Association that he had tried it out on 21 patients, of whom 20 had survived the experience, its benevolent effect is shown by the fact that one man who underwent the operation three hours later sat up in bed and demanded a whole chicken for his dinner. A woman, within a week of submitting to this scientific magic, attended the theatre and enjoyed the show without worry for the first time in years. She was not even disturbed by the fact that her back hair might be less thickly arranged than could be desired.

The surgeon bores two small holes in the patient's skull, inserts looped wires, rotates them and removes a dozen small spheres of white tissue. By that process, Dr. Freeman claims, the imagination area of the brain is thus reduced in size, and what is left is no longer distressingly excited by over-stimulation. It seems to be a big idea.—Chicago Daily News.

To Protect Children

Great Britain Investigates Methods Of Adoption Societies And Agencies

Recommendations aimed at tightening control over the adoption of children in Great Britain were made recently by the majority of a home office committee appointed to investigate the methods of adoption societies and agencies.

After reviewing several cases of indiscriminate trafficking of children the committee suggested:

Adoption organizations should be licensed by local borough or county councils.

They should be forbidden to arrange adoptions abroad by any foreigner, or to let a British subject take a child abroad until a magistrate has granted, in open court, a license permitting it.

They should insist that all adopters apply to court for confirmation of the adoption after a probationary period.

Private arrangers of adoptions, parents and the adopters themselves should not be allowed to receive payment without court permission and all advertising by unlicensed agencies should stop.

Miss Florence Horsburg, member of parliament, was chairman of the committee.

SELECTED RECIPES

TOMATO BUTTER

7 lbs. ripe tomatoes
3 cups white sugar
1 cup Brown Corn Syrup
1/2 cup salt
1/2 cup pickling spices (in bag)
3 cups cider vinegar
1/2 teaspoon red pepper

Method: Scald and skin tomatoes and cut in pieces. Add remaining ingredients and boil gently for three hours. Seal in sterile jars. Makes five pints.

Soil Drifting

It is estimated that soil drifted from one acre to the depth of one inch is equivalent to the removal of approximately 604 pounds of nitrogen, 153 pounds of phosphorus, and 5,380 pounds of potash. This amount of phosphorus alone is approximately equal to that removed from the soil in the production of 485 bushels of wheat.

Prospective Governors—"I'm not interested in the position. I didn't realize you had thirteen children."

Mistaken—"Don't tell me you are superstitious."

A peck of small metal objects can be electroplated at once with a new machine.

"High tea" is a complete meal, served either in the afternoon or evening, at which tea is served.

Building Huge Memorial

Russian Engineers Laying Foundation For Great Palace

After nearly five years of delay, Soviet engineers have started laying the concrete foundation for the great palace of the Soviets, projected as the world's biggest and highest building.

The palace as presently planned promises to be as bizarre a memorial to the Bolshevik revolution as Ivan the Terrible's huge monument to himself in Red Square—the famous St. Basil's Cathedral. The building proper, which is to rise 1,050 feet, will serve as a pedestal for a 325-foot statue of Lenin, shown with his right hand pointing forward in orthodox pose.

(The Empire State Building, Fifth Avenue at Thirty-fourth street, New York, is 1,248 feet high.)

The material for the statue proper has not yet been chosen, but it likely will be of non-rusting steel. In some quarters it is suggested that the great building and monument may be finished within five years, but others believe it will take more than twice that long.

Many Bolsheviks believe and secretly hope that the building as presently designed will not be completed, because they consider it grotesque and ill-fitted to Soviet architecture and the nation's needs.

The projected building consists of three receding cylindrical parts, the upper cylinder serving as the gigantic pedestal for the statue, which Soviet newspapers point out will be visible from below only about ninety days of the year because of the low-hanging clouds over the city.

The main room of the building will be a grand hall seating 20,000 persons, designed for sessions of the Soviet Congress. This body previously has met in the great white palace of the Kremlin, where the Russians used to crown their czars.

Plans include dropping the chairs of this room below the floor for conversion of the room into a stage or stadium for sports contests. Another hall will accommodate 5,776 persons. Other space is to be used for smaller meeting rooms, offices and spaces for exhibits.

Tremendous engineering difficulties already have been encountered in construction of the foundation. The building is being built on the left bank of the Moscow River at some distance from the Kremlin on the site formerly occupied by the great Chariot Church of the Redeemer. Excavation already has weakened the foundation of a nearby bridge, necessitating its being moved down the river. Water also seeped into the working area, and the construction while new plans were drawn.

The decision to resume construction follows sending of a large technical mission to the United States last year to work out engineering problems with American consultants.

A Strange New Mineral

Can Be Used In Various Ways And Is Very Cheap

One of the newest and strangest minerals in the world is vermiculite, found chiefly in a mountain in Montana, U.S.A. It combines the qualities of many useful minerals. With slight treatment it floats on water and is a high-grade insulator which can be used equally well for electrical as well as steam-pipe work.

If exposed to warmth it expands to about 27 times its original volume and becomes a lovely golden color. It is very light and tough and because of its cheapness and similarity to cork might replace that material. It is also fire-resisting to a very high degree and can be used with safety in the construction of furnaces which would melt most metals.—Montreal Star.

Nearly 17,000,000 tons of shipping are handled annually by the principal ports of the Rhine river.

Passenger sea slides are to ply the Moscow-Volga Canal in Russia.

BLACKHEADS

Blackheads go quickly by a simple method that just dissolves them. Get two ounces of peroxide powder from your drug store, mix with water and wash gently over the blackheads—and you will wonder where they have gone. Have a Hollywood complexion.

MURRAY RESIGNS AS CHAIRMAN OF WHEAT BOARD

Ottawa.—Policy of the Canadian wheat board will be continued for the coming crop season but under different direction. Resignation of Chairman J. R. Murray was accepted by the government and vice-chairman George McIvor appointed in his place. The vacancy on the board was filled by the appointment of its treasurer, Robert Findlay.

Trade Minister W. D. Elser announced the changes following a meeting of cabinet council. In carrying on the board's policy of last year the fixed price of 87½ cents a bushel will be maintained but no purchase will be made unless the price falls below 90 cents a bushel on basis of No. 1 northern at Port William.

The wheat board will continue in operation, Mr. Elser said, pending receipt of the report of Turgeon royal commission on wheat marketing. The commission is now in England. When its recommendations have been considered, probably some time next winter, a permanent wheat policy will be adopted by the government.

Mr. Murray's resignation was not unexpected. He joined the board soon after the present government took office in October, 1935, replacing John I. McFarland, head of the board as originally constituted by the government of former Prime Minister R. B. Bennett.

In announcing Mr. Murray's resignation, Mr. Elser made the following statement:

"The resignation of J. R. Murray, chairman of the Canadian wheat board, was accepted reluctantly and with warm appreciation by the government of the valuable service rendered by Mr. Murray. The latter had accepted the chairmanship on the assumption that he would be relieved of his duties when the large surplus of wheat was disposed of. That purpose has been accomplished, the carryover having been reduced to small proportions. It is being held against possible need and feed requirements."

In reorganizing the board to fill the vacancy created by Mr. Murray's resignation the secretary of the chairman will be a saving, Mr. Elser said, since the appointment of Mr. McIvor and Mr. Findlay involve no change in their present salaries. It is understood Mr. Murray received \$20,000 a year.

No wheat was purchased by the board in the past year, the price never having dropped to the level at which its powers become operative. When the board was formed originally there was a carryover of around 200,000,000 bushels, much of which had accumulated as a result of the efforts of the government to stabilize the market during the depression years.

Mr. Murray, who came to Ottawa to arrange his departure from direction of the wheat board, declared here he had no intention of leaving the future. He was formerly head of the Alberta Pacific Grain Company but is not now associated with that or any other company, he said. He had accepted chairmanship of the wheat board on the understanding his work would be completed when the heavy holdover had been disposed of. The task had been accomplished and he had resigned. Further than that Mr. Murray would not comment. He left for Winnipeg.

Pay Respects To Marconi

Thousands File Past Bier Of Inventor In Hushed Farewell

Rome.—Thousands of Romans of high and low estate filed past the bier of Guglielmo Marconi in hushed farewell to the genius that gave wireless telegraphy to the world. They came in the early hours of the day and stood in solemn lines before the Italian Royal Academy, waiting for the chance to pay a final tribute to the inventor before his body was taken home to Bologna for burial.

Search Covered Wide Area

Hono.—Planes and ships of the United States navy travelled 150,000 miles in the search for Amelia Earhart, Rear Admiral Olin G. Murfin disclosed in a statement expressing belief the aviatrix and her navigator had perished.

Discovery Of Treasure

Panama.—An investigating committee headed by the governor of Chiriqui province confirmed the discovery of a \$3,000,000 treasure in gold which had been hidden for centuries in tunnels along the Piedra Candela river.

Disease Kills Eskimos

Mysterious Illness Takes Toll Of Lives, Officer Reports

Ottawa.—A mysterious disease which has afflicted Eskimos in recent years took its toll again last week, Major D. L. McKend, commander of the eastern Arctic patrol found when his ship the Naoscope arrived at Lake Harbor, on the south coast of Baffin Island, he radioed to the department of mines and resources that six adults and seven children had died from it near Lake Harbor in February.

Almost every year the disease sweeps down on some band with serious results. Dr. L. D. Livingston, medical officer for the patrol, and other doctors stationed in the north are seeking to diagnose it with the hope some provision can be made to guard the natives.

Doctors in the north are inclined to the belief it is a form of ptomaine poisoning, possibly from eating bad meat. Further information may be gained from doctors who spent last winter in the north.

Prospects Slightly Better

Recent Rains May Improve Crop Yield In Many Areas

Winnipeg, Man.,—W. Sanford Evans, chief of the Winnipeg statistical service bearing his name, emphasized the western crop may be larger than private estimates now being made. Recent rains had improved crop prospects in many districts, but the new moisture would aid the kernels to develop and bring increased yields.

Undoubtedly, said Mr. Evans, the western crop will be small. "But I have too much respect for wheat to bury it before it is dead," he said. In 1924, he recalled, many fields in mid-July virtually were abandoned but late rains revived them and fair crops were harvested. "But I have too much respect for wheat to bury it before it is dead," he said. In 1924, he recalled, many fields in mid-July virtually were abandoned but late rains revived them and fair crops were harvested.

Although no official estimate of the current wheat crop has been made, private estimates place production around 150,000,000 bushels. Recent rains have improved crop prospects in many areas.

Peace Gesture

Chancellor Hitler Recieves New Soviet Ambassador At His Villa Berlin.—Chancellor Hitler gave diplomats something to think about when he received the new Soviet ambassador at his Berchtesgaden villa, and in the course of the exchange of greetings used the word "non-intervention."

He observed creation of normal relations between Germany and Russia would consist not only to the interests of both countries but also to the requirements of non-intervention, "to-day more pressing than ever." He said Germany would aid co-operative efforts.

In some quarters that was interpreted as an important peace gesture toward a nation for which Hitler often has expressed a pronounced dislike and who has been in frequent disagreement with the Reich in the sessions of the international committee for non-intervention in Spain.

Want Banks To Co-operate

Move To Secure Assistance Of Banks To Establish Social Credit

Edmonton.—Move to secure the voluntary co-operation of chartered banks operating in this province in steps designed to establish a Social Credit system is being made "as a preliminary measure in preparation for the session of the legislature that is to take place on Aug. 3," according to an announcement by Premier Aberhart.

Acting upon the advice of the Social Credit board, the government is immediately notifying the bank of the essential importance and the great expediency of their co-operation in implementing the clearly expressed will of the people of the province," according to the premier. "Taxation will be 'quickly and drastically removed' if the cost of living is to be lowered, the premier stated.

First Threshing Operations

Douglas, Man.—First threshing operations reported in Manitoba came from Waller's farm of this area, 175 miles southwest of Winnipeg. He reports a good quality with a good yield from a field of 60-day barley.

Farm Help Shown In East

Quebec, Ont.—Demand in this district for farm labor far exceeds supply and farmers are finding it difficult to get on with their harvesting operations. At present there are 50 applications from farmers for help.

Defer Trade Talks

Britain Will Not Negotiate With Japan Until Chinese Situation Is Closed

London.—Foreign Secretary Eden confirmed to Ambassador Shigeru Yoshida a statement he made in the House of Commons that Great Britain could not open trade talks with Japan until the situation in north China was cleared up.

Ambassador Yoshida was reported as having told Eden any foreign intervention to settle the north China conflict was considered inadmissible by Tokyo.

(During the foreign affairs debate in the House of Commons Eden offered facilities of the British government for mediation if desired by Japan or China.)

It was understood the far eastern crisis was considered by the cabinet, but the meeting ended without any other conclusion that the policy advanced by Eden in the commons to the effect no pressure, other than that which could be exerted through regular diplomatic channels, was to be used.

SINO-JAPANESE TENSION EASED IT IS REPORTED

Tientsin.—Chinese troop withdrawals from the Wangdinghsien battle zone west of Peiping eased Sino-Japanese tension in North China.

Two weeks after conflict broke out in the area, almost all soldiers of the Chinese 29th army were evacuated under an agreement calling also for withdrawal of Japanese troops.

(Havas News Agency said it was reported from Nanking that Chinese authorities had presented the Japanese military with an ultimatum to withdraw their troops from positions they seized following the Lukouchiao incident which precipitated the crisis.)

(Havas also said it was reported 4,000 troops, allegedly under orders of the Nanking central government, had been rushed to Lukouchiao and the 29th army garrisons at Lukouchiao and Wangdinghsien refused to withdraw. "Wangdinghsien is sacred soil and we will never evacuate it," the commander of the 37th division of the 29th army there was quoted as saying.)

The Sino-Japanese understanding provided for withdrawal of Japanese troops after Chinese regulars in that area had been replaced by officers entrusted with maintenance of civil order.

(The Sino-Japanese understanding for troop withdrawals was said in Nanking to be only an oral compact under which both sides would evacuate the trouble zone "as an evidence of good faith.")

The newspaper Hochi arrested the Chinese Colonel Bai Shou-tang when he visited Kawagoe's hotel. They charged him with planning to kill the ambassador.

Colonel Bai, the despatch said, was formerly a staff officer under General Feng Yu-hsiang, vice-chairman of the Nanking (central Chinese government).

GUGLIELMO MARCONI



Inventor of the wireless, died suddenly of a heart attack at his home in Rome. The famed inventor was 63 years old. He had been in apparently good condition prior to his death, although he had been in ill-health for two years. He died of paralysis of the heart.

Oil Reserves

Says Discovery Of New Oil Fields In United States Is Needed

Moscow.—A Russian scientist told the international congress of geologists the discovery of 10 or 12 new oil fields annually would be necessary to maintain United States reserves against an annual national consumption of 1,000,000,000 barrels.

The vice-president of the Russian Academy of Science, Ivan Gubkin, declared such new fields must be capable of producing 100,000,000 barrels a year each to keep future reserves intact.

He discounted alarm concerning exhaustion of the world's petroleum resources, however, and estimated the total world reserve at 7,075,200,000 tons which, he said, would be sufficient for many years.

Mark Diamond Jubilee

Indians Meet At Banff To Celebrate Signing Of 1887 Treaty

Banff, Alta.—Hundreds of Alberta Indians were in Banff July 23, where they held the annual Indian celebration featuring this year by marking the diamond jubilee of the signing of the treaty at Blackfoot Crossing in September, 1887, between the "great white mother" and the councilors of the five western tribes.

Against the majestic background of Cascade mountain, colorful tepees of Bloods, Blackfeet, Sarcees, Pelicans and Stonys were set. Usually only Stony Indians attend the annual celebrations.

Buses Replace Street Cars

New Westminster, B.C.—New Westminster has become the first city in western Canada to abandon street cars in favor of buses. A dozen new buses, which will be augmented by nine more when the service is in full operation, paraded the streets to show citizens how they would travel when the new service officially begins.

Tourists Still Interested

Niagara Falls, N.Y.—Customs inspectors at the Falls View bridge here said that occupants of more than 80 per cent. of the American automobiles which crossed the bridge in one day said they were on their way to Allandale, Ont., to see the five famous sisters.

EUROPEAN SITUATION GIVES PREMIER ANXIOUS MOMENTS



This photograph shows Premier Camille Chautemps of France being questioned by reporters during one of his hurried visits to the Elysee, where he discussed the European situation with President Le Brun.

Study Drouth Problems

Labor Minister To Visit West At End Of This Month

Ottawa.—Study of the drouth situation in Western Canada and general conditions relating to the problem of relief will be made on the spot by Labor Minister Norman McIvor Rogers. The minister contemplates visiting the prairies towards the end of this month, it was learned. No decision has been made as to the date on which Mr. Rogers will leave Ottawa, nor of his itinerary in the west.

MONEY LOSS TO THE WEST AS RESULT OF DROUTH

Ottawa.—Canada's prairie provinces which in 1928 produced 544,500,000 bushels of wheat may this year produce less than 200,000,000 bushels, estimates range as low as 150,000,000. And the reason is drouth.

For seven successive years vast areas of western Canada, with south Saskatchewan as the centre, have suffered; and that province particularly a broad strip of territory just north of the United States boundary has reverted to desert-like land. Throughout the west more than 1,000,000 people are directly affected and indications are that this year close to 400,000 persons will need help in the way of "drouth relief."

What this means in monetary loss to the Canadian west was indicated by Agriculture Minister J. G. Gardiner. He cited figures he had given some time ago in the House of Commons which showed that while the three good years from 1926 to 1928 inclusive yielded the prairie wheat growers \$1,180,000,000, the next three from 1929 to 1931 produced revenue of only \$350,000,000—or a dead loss at that time of \$830,000,000.

This loss has never been recovered. Year after year, since those days in 1928 when the prairie crop topped the half-billion bushel mark, the yield has been dwindling. In 1931 it hit a low of 301,181,000 bushels; but in the following year there was a rally to 426,947,000. The recovery was not maintained. The year 1933 saw another sharp drop to 263,000,000. And since then the decline has been steep. Last year production totalled only 212,000,000 bushels.

Variations had occurred in the general drouth picture from year to year, said Mr. Gardiner. "The dry area in Alberta there was a rally to 426,947,000. The recovery was not maintained. The year 1933 saw another sharp drop to 263,000,000. And since then the decline has been steep. Last year production totalled only 212,000,000 bushels."

The picture of endless miles of billowing grain on Canada's prairies less than a decade ago has radically changed. In south Saskatchewan, which in the banner year of 1928 had a wheat output of 321,215,000 bushels, production last year only 117,000. The crop is in such a state in 1937 that estimates figure on little over 75,000,000 bushels. At the most, not more than 100,000,000.

The story for Alberta is less distressing. High hopes are entertained for a crop which may not go far below one-half the 1928 yield of 171,000,000 bushels. But in the east-central regions of the province, from the vicinity of Gleichen to the Saskatchewan border and south to the Cypress Hills, conditions are no better than in the neighboring province.

Compared with the other two provinces, Manitoba's condition this year is good. But here, too, normal production may not be reached. In the main, however, Manitoba's production has never been so extensive as in the other provinces. The yield of 52,383,000 bushels in 1928 will not be approached this year. In 1936 it was 25,000,000.

A trek of many families from the south to the northern sections of Saskatchewan has not produced the hoped-for results. "The people are not more fertile areas," said Mr. Gardiner. "But actually there are not any more fertile areas in Canada than southern Saskatchewan. What has been needed is rain and irrigation. It is, notable that most of the famines who moved into what they believed were more productive districts will this year again be on relief."

In the north, he said, the fertile land had been settled for years, and vacant land suitable for settlement was not easily made available.

YOUTH TRAINING PLAN APPROVED BY GOVERNMENT

Ottawa.—Agreements with Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia for youth training projects have been approved by the Dominion government, Labor Minister Norman Rogers announced.

The agreements provided the Dominion will spend an equal amount to that spent by the province concerned. The combined Dominion contribution for the three provinces will be "something less than \$300,000," Mr. Rogers said in his statement.

Four provinces have now reached agreement with the Dominion for youth training. An agreement with Manitoba, involving an allocation of \$100,000 by the Dominion, was announced early this month.

The Dominion's contribution comes from an appropriation of \$1,000,000 approved at the last session of parliament for youth training and reconditioning projects.

All agreements apply to unemployed men and women between 18 and 30 years old. They must be necessitous and registered with the employment service of Canada. In localities where there are no employment service agencies, applicants must be certified by the clerk of the municipality or appropriate provincial authority as being necessitous.

Youth training plans of the province of Saskatchewan give special consideration to young people from the drouth areas. In co-operation with the University of Saskatchewan it is proposed to provide occupational training allied to agriculture for unemployed young people from farms and rural districts of the province. For men, local and district courses in farm subjects, health and physical education, "short" agricultural courses at the university, and "winter" agricultural courses, are planned. Courses in household economics, home crafts, handicrafts and suitable farm subjects are being arranged for young women. Provision for registration, vocational guidance, specialized training and placement of unemployed young women in the urban localities is part of the Saskatchewan program.

Earthquake In Alaska

Residents Of Fairbanks Flee From Their Homes

Fairbanks, Alaska.—Half-dressed men and women ran from homes and hotels, frame buildings away and many subjects are being arranged for strong earthquake struck Fairbanks and the Alaskan interior.

The quake lasted more than a minute. Tremors were recurrent throughout the day. Another severe shock was followed by a third so severe it put the University of Alaska seismograph out of commission.

There were no reports of injuries and estimates of damage were not available.

Concern was felt for persons in the Black Rapids glacier district near the Big Delta river, about 125 miles southeast of Fairbanks. Communication lines were down and it was felt here the area may have been "greatly disturbed."

It was recalled that tremors were felt there within the last few months, starting the glacier moving forward rapidly again after it virtually had ceased its advance, which had caused apprehension for the nearby Richardson highway.

Extensive damage most damage consisted of broken windows and damaged merchandise.

Buying Western Cattle

Ontario's Premier Purchasing Stock For His Private Farm

Edmonton.—Acting as agent for Premier Hepburn of Ontario, S. G. Carlyle, however, Manitoba's production has never been so extensive as in the other provinces. The yield of 52,383,000 bushels in 1928 will not be approached this year. In 1936 it was 25,000,000.

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Save Raw Materials

Berlin.—The use of human hair for making of carpets, tarpaper covering for roofs, and felt, in Germany's latest plan for saving raw materials. Hairdressers throughout the country will be asked at the coming barbers' convention on Breslau to start collecting human hair of every kind and length.

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EXAMPLE — AUSTRALIA

Take a look at Australia.

Reports from that country state that unemployment has fallen from the peak of 30 per cent in June, 1932, to 8.4 per cent, which is almost the normal rate.

The financial position of the Commonwealth shows a marked improvement. In twelve months, the fund maintained in London to meet debt and other commitments has been increased by \$50,000,000.

Bank deposits total \$1,535,000,000 (a record) and they exceed advances by \$228,650,000.

Australian railways are making money. In the case of the Victorian system, returns on capital earned during the past year was 3.2 per cent. That is better than the railways of either England or the United States earned during the same period.

To the British investor Australia is a high.

How, with a population considerably smaller than that of Canada, has the Commonwealth achieved this position?

The answer is that she did not wait for the return of prosperity to cure her ills. In the depths of the depression she took drastic measures to straighten out her financial tangles. Her economies cut deep. She re-adjusted her debt interest in co-operation with her debtors, not by repudiation.

Her taxpayers had to dig further into their pockets. They had assurance that the result would be worth it. And their faith would seem to have been justified.

Australia may not be entirely clear of the woods, but she is farther out of them than Canada.

So far as this Dominion is concerned, the one policy our successive governments have been able to apply to such crippling problems as the railway sinkhole and the thespian administrative set-up is that of "waiting for the return of prosperity."

Relative prosperity is here, but it doesn't seem to have done much in the way of reducing the nation's deficits. Nor will it.

With immigration shut off, there is no likelihood of there being twenty or fifty million people to spread the burden of taxation and debt in time for this or the next generation to share the easement.

The simple fact is that, prosperity or no prosperity, the country's expenditures have got to be cut until they are within the capacity of eleven million people to carry.

ALBERTA SENSE

Some political common sense is showing up in Alberta. There is an advance made by the new liberal leader, E. L. Gray, who, by the way, is a native of Grey county, in Ontario, it is probable that a coalition may be formed with the Conservatives to battle out the situation brought about by Premier Aberhart and his Social Credit followers. With bonds defaulted, provincial credit endangered, if not altogether destroyed, the suggested union of forces for the time appears the only solution to bring the province out of the morass and place it again on a solid financial basis. Obviously it can not go on as it is much longer. Aberharts, Douglasses and other theorists must give place to practical politics and sound, sane financing. —Collingwood Enterprise.

COST OF EARHART SEARCH

WASHINGTON, July 21.—Charges that the unsuccessful effort to find Miss Amelia Earhart and her navigator, Fred Noonan, cost the United States navy, and ultimately the taxpayer, \$4,000,000, were vigorously challenged by President Roosevelt at the press conference here yesterday. The president obviously resented the criticism of the cost which has been heard in congressional quarters, as well as in the press. Miss Earhart was a personal friend of the presidential family, and has been a frequent guest at the White House during this administration.

He pointed out that the navy is allowed by Congress certain limited amounts of fuel oil for its ships and of gasoline for its airplanes. This is allocated among the different ships of the fleet. And the navy cannot exceed its allowance. Therefore, he argued, the use of fuel oil and gasoline on the search means that a certain amount of these supplies was consumed on this special search problem, instead of at some other time on other special exercises or fleet maneuvers.

There is a big scheme being talked of at present for making an artificial lake at Cranbrook. Just west of the city there is a large flat that could be converted into a natural reservoir, and it is quite possible to draw water from the upper Moyie Lake to fill it, it is claimed. The distance from the flat is about eleven miles, and the altitude of the lake is 2907 feet, while the altitude of Cranbrook is 2964. The plan is to lay pipe from the head of the lake to the flat, and thus form a siphon longer than any that has been built in the world.—Thirty years ago.

Beynon relief camp, which was ordered closed down, was reopened a few days afterward and will be used in future to house transient unemployed. The original scheme was to place all single men from the industrial district into the camp, where they would receive two meals a day, clothing and tobacco allowance. No work would have been required of them. Opposition developed from the organized unemployed, resulting in pressure being brought to bear on the government to drop the idea. Now the camp will be operated on the same basis, but only transients applying for relief would be placed in the camp.

The old Alberta hotel at Okotoks is to be torn down. Brings to our mind a little incident that happened in that hotel some twenty years ago, when yet editor, in company with Sangster and Jenkins, dropped into the dining room for breakfast, about 8 a.m. on a bitter cold day in February. The dining room contained a cold stove, but the trio managed to seat themselves at a table. When the waitress arrived; she was asked what was on the menu. She replied: "We got am' and heggas, bacon and heggas, fried heggas, poached heggas, boiled heggas, scrambled heggas, hegg hom-elette — but sorry, sirs, we got no heggas."

Will the banks co-operate? Apparently this is the question of the hour in Alberta. We read the provincial treasurer's letter to the bankers and for the life of us we couldn't figure out what the government expected from the banks. Could you? To begin with, it was nothing less than a childish gesture to send such a letter to branch managers of chartered banks in Alberta. They have practically no voice in general policy, and the field of banking operations are fairly well defined in their charter privileges. Some banks and bankers have abused their charter privileges and we are of the opinion that the bank charters are still too broad for the general good of the common people. But this latest blat of publicity about co-operation from the banks smells to us like a smoke screen to hide behind while some cock-eyed legislation is being foisted upon the gullible public.—Clareholme Local Press.



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10 a.m.—Senior and Junior Sunday Schools.
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Services will be held, however, both at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m., as usual, next Sunday.

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You are cordially invited to our services.

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Friday, 7 p.m.: Young people's meeting.

COMPETING WITH DOUKHOBORS

Reports from Chicago state that skirts, to be fashionable for the fall, will be shorter. Fourteen inches from the floor will be the approved length, while sixteen inches would be quite daring. The 14-inch length represents a hike of about an inch above the spring frock lengths. Hats will have higher crowns, and be worn generally off the face, exposing the brow.
Unlike the Douks, however, the waistline is to be higher, probably near the chin.

A question that should be asked now is: "Is the taking of a collection to cover costs of entertaining a bunch of kiddies at a picnic any bigger crime than the taking of a collection to hear Aberhart blathering from the platform of a Bible Institute?" The kiddies were not dreaming of crime; and the presence of ice cream, candies and such, which had to be financed, simply made their lives happy.

The Lord's Day Alliance Act was enforced for the first time when orders of the attorney-general were carried out, through the officer commanding the Vegreville division of the R. C. M. P., to stop the selling of hot dogs, soft drinks and ice cream, and the taking up of a collection to defray the expenses of a few children's events at the C.C.F. picnic at Matthew's Bowery. Great indignation was felt by the people of the community at the action taken by the attorney-general.

Teacher: "Name three collective nouns."
Tommy: "Fly-paper, waste-basket and vacuum cleaner."

Gentleman: "Are you very poor?"
Tramp: "Sir, if canvas were ten cents a yard, I couldn't buy enough to make a canary a pair of spats."

Barber: "How do you like this soap, sir?"
Customer: "It tastes fine. You must have lunch with me some day."

WHY THAT DIVIDEND HAS NOT BEEN PAID

Immediately on reading Mr. Solomon Low's first epistle to the heathens — we mean the banks — a light suddenly dawned on us and we realized why that elusive dividend had never been paid. The nasty, selfish, unscrupulous banks had it all the time in their vaults and were holding out on us. And we would never have known the truth if it had not been for the valiant and courageous manner in which that gallant knight, Sir Galahad Low, the keeper of the Privy purse of our noble King Arthur — we mean King William Aberhart — the first of Alberta — has cast down the gauntlet of battle to them. But besides our noble ruler he knows he has behind him those two doughty fighters from the Old Land, Messrs. Byrnes and Powell, who so nobly and unselfishly came out all the way to Alberta to fight for us poor and oppressed citizens of a dog-trodden country — and best of all, the majestic if somewhat shadowy figure of that terror of financial tyrants, Archibald the Grim, the great Douglas.

Filled with wrath on reading the copy of the letter in the Calgary Herald and inspired by the thought of the great men before mentioned who were behind us, we determined to seek the office of the Okotoks branch of these Bluebeards and demand on the part of the people of Okotoks why they have kept back our dividends from us. But the manager explained that the dividends were being paid in the alphabetical order of the town's names and as we were under the "O" it was not likely we would receive our first dividend till about December, 1957. He admitted it was a long way off, but said it was something to look forward to.—Okotoks Review.

NEW SPANISH MONARCHY

Dave, a Swede, conceals the following:

General Franco promises to establish a monarchy in Spain. The population of Spain is so equally divided that it will require 2 kings, a Fascist and a Communist. It is impossible to find suitable material in Spain, where the bulk of qualified subjects have left the country because of the turmoil of the civil war; so it becomes necessary to look outside for crown heads and a cabinet. For kings, names of William Knight and Enoch Williams are most favored. For prime minister Blairmore could provide one suitable from reserve stock. Isaad Rae is mentioned for the cabinet portfolio of minister of agriculture; Frank Leary as minister of education; Evan Morgan as minister of public works; Melasac, the Coleman man who blows wind in and out of the bagpipes, as minister of air; Dominic Campo as minister of mines and natural resources; Joe Krkosky as minister of labor; Roddie Jamieson as minister without portfolio.

Dave says Franco would like to include a Swede in his cabinet, but what's the use—God himself could never make anything of a Swede, so Albert Olson would be out of luck.

If it is desired that Social Credit should be established in the new monarchy, Bill Aberhart or Dave Anderson would be available as expert advisers.

FARM LOANS IN B.C.

In order to encourage men on the land to get back "on their own" again, the British Columbia department of agriculture has announced that loans up to \$250 will be available to farmers to improve their present holdings, and an advance of \$500 will be made to those wishing to shift from unsuitable to likely properties.

The loans are made on the understanding no relief work will be given. The money can be used to purchase livestock or implements under the supervision of the district agriculturist; and purchases must be made locally.

Curling on artificial ice was in progress at St. John's, Newfoundland, on July 15th.

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Rev. Levi Halfyard, of Newfoundland, age 51, who was inducted as pastor of the United church at Churchill, Ontario, on July 2nd, died in hospital there on July 8th. He was ordained in 1918, and was a native of Ochre Pit Cove.

The kangaroo was named through a misunderstanding. In 1770 Captain Cook asked a native the name of the animal, and the native replied "kan ga roo," meaning "I don't understand." Cook thought it was the name of the animal.

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WAIT! EATON'S

Where does the Bible mention that a man may have not more than one wife? Well, in Matthew: "No man can serve two masters."

Mr. Colin Brooks, editor of the Sunday Dispatch, London, England, says Toronto as the capital of the Empire in another century.

Corporal W. G. Naylor, R.C.M.P., has been transferred from Vulcan to Pincher Creek, succeeding Constable Bull, who in turn has been transferred to Baronsburg.

Friends of and believers in Wm. Aberhart might ascertain from him an idea as to what extent his private funds or property will be imperilled by Alberta's new scheme.

Three men died in Newfoundland from drinking Columbia spirits, which is used in the manufacture of colas. A fourth victim is in hospital, partially blind and partially paralyzed.

Two Englishmen were walking down a Dublin street, when an Irish soldier was seen approaching. One of the Englishmen, who considered himself witty, thought he'd have a little fun with the son of Erin. Walking up to him, he remarked: "Pat, I hear the devil is dead." The Irishman said never a word, but put his hand in his pocket, brought forth twopenny and handed it to the Englishman. "What's that for?" cried the astonished Englishman. "Oh, nothing," said Pat, "only it's a custom in our country to help poor orphans along when their parents die."

A sign "For Gentiles Only" posted on the St. Andrew's golf links near Toronto, started a controversy that did not end with its removal, because the removal was accompanied by an official statement that the rule still held. We are inclined to think the Jews are a bit too sensitive. No Gentile would want to go to the exclusive Jewish links nearby. No gentleman would want to go to a place bearing the sign "For Ladies Only." No Roman Catholic has any desire to go to any Orange Lodges. No Orangeman to the Knights of Columbus Clubs, and neither to B'nai B'rith. Only one Jew wanted to get into the Ku Klux Klan, and he explained that he didn't want to join, but that he was in the white goods business and wanted to see the man who buys the sheeting—Fertile Topic by H. C.

Shop Where You Are Invited to Shop

Every advertisement in this paper is a printed invitation to you. Obey that impulse.

CHEAP IMPORTED RADIO, HAZARDS LIFE, PROPERTY

You'd probably be horrified if someone said you hold your life and property so cheaply that you would hazard it for a few dollars, wouldn't you?

Yet, according to electrical authorities, that is exactly what you are doing if you are one of those persons who has imported a cheap, midge radio. The very cheapness of these radios is evidence of the fact that they constitute definite fire and shock hazards, authorities state, because radios simply cannot be made in accordance with safety requirements and still be sold at less than the prices asked for Canadian standard licensed receivers. Something must be left out, and investigation shows that, in the case of these very cheap midge radios, the saving is accomplished by leaving off simple safeguards that protect you from shock and your home from fire.

Actually, to own one of these radios, that is, a radio that does not incorporate simple safety devices as required by the Canadian Electrical Code, is an offence under the Code and people operating such a receiver are liable for their own good to be prosecuted. Canadian manufacturers, of course, are not permitted by code to produce substandard sets, nor are dealers allowed to sell them. Realizing the danger of substandard equipment, these manufacturers and retailers, naturally, are only too eager to comply with the requirements of the Code.

Warnings Issued
However, substandard sets are sometimes brought into this country in blissful ignorance of possible consequences, and are being used, despite the fact that warnings have been issued regularly and despite the fact that there are actual cases on record where sudden, violent death has been the penalty for operating such sets. Bad burns and domestic fires have also been reported as a result of using these unprotected sets. Fire resulting from the use of domestic midge equipment, it is stated, voids most fire insurance policies also because it is contended that the fire is due to the carelessness of the owner who is assumed to know the fire hazard which one of these sets creates.

Carrying the torch for the protection of your life and property against the hazards of these substandard sets in Canadian Radio Patents, Limited of Toronto. This company, owning the rights on essential and basic patents, insists that all radio manufacturers under its licenses, which means virtually, all radios manufactured in Canada, comply in every respect with safety codes. This is a matter of simple business with Canadian Radio Patents, Limited, because after all, it is naturally good business for this company to require its licensees to manufacture the best products possible under its patents. Penalties for infringing on those patents by operating unlicensed radios, of course, are liable to legal action for the recovery of damages as would be anyone who infringed on a Canadian patent.

Not So Cheap!
So, if you are considering the purchase and importation of a cheap midge radio, think well before you do so. The savings you may realize, even though they may sound tempting, are too high a price to pay for placing in jeopardy your life and the lives of your children, not to mention your property. Then, too, you are definitely breaking the law in respect to the Electrical Code; equally you are infringing on the patent rights held by Canadian Radio Patents, Limited, with the attendant liability for infringement.

All in all, then, the cheapness of these cheap midge sets you hear about doesn't offer such an appealing bargain, after all, does it? Don't forget either that reception is anything but satisfactory, too, because when they make radios so cheaply they have to leave out a lot of other parts as well as ordinary safeguards. Some of those parts are important to your enjoyment of radio, you can be sure!

SALARY STRETCHING

In these troublous days of depression, those on small salaries have to make it stretch like elastic to make ends meet. But here is a novel way, employed by a London clerk, of multiplying his wages. It appears he was receiving a weekly salary of the Canadian equivalent of \$25.00; his friends noticed that he was living "like a lord," and were sure that he couldn't "put on the dave" in the manner he was doing for less than \$75.00 per week. Curiosity finally got the better of one of his friends, who sought an explanation, and this is the answer he got: "There are three hundred employees in the plant; I raffle my salary among them every week. Each pays twenty-five cents per ticket, and the winner gets my wage cheque. Sometimes I sell 250 tickets, sometimes 350."

As agreed between the Commission of Government and the Santa Cruz Oil Company, the company will establish a plant on the west coast of Newfoundland for the manufacture of herring oil and meal. Concessions have also been secured for the establishment of a similar plant on the French island of St. Pierre.

COWLEY HAPPENINGS

Mrs. Ida Irwin is spending a few days in Calgary this week.

Lyle Connor, of Calgary, is on a vacation visit with relatives here.

Miss Sylvia Murphy is spending a couple of weeks visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Matthews, of Beaver Mines.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Brownlie, of Edmonton, are paying a week's visit to Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Morrison and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Easterbrook and family, of Peace River, are paying a visit to Mrs. E. S. Easterbrook here.

The Cowley Girls' Club held a very successful dance Friday night last.

BELLEVUE HAPPENINGS

Rev. R. Upton officiated at a pretty wedding ceremony in the United church on Saturday evening at seven o'clock, when Celene Erma, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nastasi, of Passburg, became the bride of Mr. William Ford, of Coleman. To the strains of the wedding march, played by Mrs. Upton, the bride entered the church on the arm of her father, who gave her in marriage. She looked lovely in a silk crepe suit of silver grey, with coronation head accessories, and carried a corsage of carnations.

She was attended by her sister, Miss E. Nastasi, who also looked lovely in a silk crepe suit of pink, with book accessories. The groom was supported by Mr. Benny Harrison, of Coleman. Immediately after the ceremony, the bridal party went to the home of the bride's parents at Passburg, where a sumptuous wedding supper was served. The table was centred with a beautifully decorated three-tier wedding cake. Mr. and Mrs. Ford will take up residence in Coleman, where Mr. Ford is employed.

James Turt returned on Saturday evening from his annual two-week vacation trip. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Padgett, Hilda and Lily, returned Saturday evening from a two weeks' vacation spent at the Pacific coast.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ritchie and family left Tuesday on vacation to be spent at Calgary and around the Banff-Windermere trail.

Mrs. R. Jordan was admitted to the Hillcrest hospital on Friday, where she underwent an operation. At last report she was doing well as expected.

Mrs. Albert Coupland and son George are visiting Mrs. Coupland's sister at Halkirk.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Longworth and son Jack left Sunday for a two weeks' vacation at Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Hutton, George and Gordon, returned Sunday from a two weeks' vacation spent at Champion, Strathmore and Calgary.

Miss June Upton, who had been a patient in the local hospital, returned to her home on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McLean, accompanied by Mrs. Foster, of Coleman, left Saturday for Boston, Mass., where they will visit relatives.

Mr. J. Shevels and son Joe returned Saturday from a two weeks' vacation spent at the Pacific coast.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Wolney and Elsie left Sunday for Spokane, where they will spend a two weeks' vacation.

Fred Radford and George Green returned Sunday from a week spent at Lethbridge and Waterton Lakes.

Mrs. W. Blinston, of Cranbrook, is a visitor with her daughter here, Mrs. C. W. Johnson.

Mrs. Ed. Bosley returned Saturday from a few days spent in Calgary.

Mrs. Wistall and daughter, of Vancouver, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wolstenholme.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Johnson and daughter Marion returned on Friday from a two weeks' vacation spent at Cranbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Litherland and son, accompanied by Mrs. C. Jansson, all of Flint, Michigan, arrived Tuesday evening to visit their brother, Alfred Litherland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Boyle and family returned Sunday from a week spent at Waterton Lakes.

FOR SAFETY ON HIGHWAYS

However alarming our national highway accident rate may be, and however much it may call for decisive action, if the story of safety achievements could be adequately written, the oil industry would rank high in the list of contributions.

In the face of public demands the automobile owners have been powerless to hold back advances in design—and let it be said to their credit that they have matched every increase in power with a corresponding increase in safety. Models of today with all their speed are actually safer than those of a few years ago.

But it is not enough that a motor vehicle be built safe. It must also be maintained in safe condition, and no one realizes this better than the manufacturer.

The oil refiner and compounder, for instance, contributes to safety by spending vast sums each year in developing specialized fuels and lubricants embodying the extra degree of protection that means an extra measure of safety.

The oil marketing companies contribute to safety by providing safe lubricants and equipment for an economical and universally available lubrication service. With a full sense of their responsibility, they have invested millions in efficient facilities—and millions more in educating their men to rigid standards of service.

In the competition for the scholarship awards for free tuition at the Banff School of Arts, as conducted by the department of extension of the University of Alberta, in co-operation with the Institute of Technology and Art, Calgary, Miss Mae C. Poulson, of Cowley, was selected as the winner of the Pincher Creek district. Miss Poulson is entitled to attend the art department for a four weeks' period, starting on August 2nd, without payment of a tuition fee.

Herb McCrean, publisher of the Hanna Herald, and one of the most capable and courageous newspaper men in Western Canada, passed away at Hanna on Tuesday afternoon, following a prolonged illness. He is survived by his wife, two sons and a daughter; also his mother and brother in Ontario. Mr. McCrean has for years been secretary of the Alberta branch of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association. He was born in Peterborough, Ontario, and came west in 1909. In 1912 he founded his paper at Hanna.

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All Canadian manufacturers are licensed to use patents owned by Canadian Radio Patents, Limited, and as sale or use of sub-standard sets is unlawful in all Provinces, Canadian Manufacturers must also comply with the safety requirements of the Canadian Electrical Code.

Canadian-made radios are, therefore, safe from fire and electric shock hazards actually present in many cheap imported sets, and the purchaser, having complied with the law both as regards patents and requirements of the Electrical Code, is free from the possibility of legal actions.



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WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

President Roosevelt signed legislation authorizing the United States war department to start work on a \$105,000,000 flood control program.

Sir Samuel Hoare, first lord of the admiralty, stated that two of the three new battleships of the 1937 program would bear the names of Jellicoe and Beatty.

The Manitoba government will increase its direct relief grant to Winnipeg as a temporary expedient. Premier John Bracken announced in a statement.

France's air force will be doubled by the spring of 1939, Air Minister Pierre Cot declared at Bougenne, inaugurating the first nationalized aeroplane factory.

John Macfield, poet laureate, was elected president of the Society of Authors. He succeeds the late Sir James Barrie, who held the post from 1928 until his death June 19.

Two twopenny half-penny George V. jubilee stamps of the prussian blue color the King disliked and requested reduplication in lighter blue, sold for \$250 and \$210 respectively.

Lieut. G. E. Matcett, of Hamilton, Ont., was awarded the trophy for the all-comers' grand aggregate at the Hinesy coronation rifle competitions. It was his third win for the Canadian team.

After trying for hours to turn open the door of the safe in a Toronto office, cracksmen gave up. Next day police said the safe, in which there was \$150 in cash, was not locked.

Bound for far-away Ellesmere Island and a year of scientific investigation in the north country, Clifford MacGregor, Newark airport meteorologist, and 11 associates sailed out of Sydney harbor in their schooner, the A. W. Greeley.

Grass Diet For Anaemia

Health-Giving Vitamins Build Up Red Blood Cells

Men and women, boys and girls are commencing to eat green grass, which, until recently, was considered only cow feed and not very good at that, at certain stages of growth. But, cut before it commences to joint, grass, which includes oats, wheat, rye, Sudan and barley, is exceedingly high in health-giving vitamins, and contains fifteen or more minerals which enter into the development of the body. Professor W. E. Graham, of the Faculty Department, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, claims that the ingredients of the tender fresh grass, among other things, build up the red blood cells and patients suffering from anaemia respond to the grass diet. It is understood that several tons of grass, dehydrated to preserve it for use the year round, are available for the Sick Children's Hospital in Toronto.

It is the leaf that is so valuable, thus the importance of cutting before the stem forms, then dehydrating it and placing in cold storage or mixing it with butter-milk and eating the sunshine it has absorbed, all the protein, minerals, vitamins and that growth substance known as carotene. A combination of lawn mow, vacuum, dehydrator for cutting, picking up the grass and drying it in one operation was recently pictured in an English magazine.

By a succession of planting of oats, rye and wheat, along with other grasses, we may have our grass fresh from the lawn or field ourselves.

Planning Another Book

Lord Tweedsmuir Will Gather Material During Long Trip

Lord Tweedsmuir is planning to write a sequel on Canada's northland when his term, as Governor-General expires. The book will be published as the production of John Buchan, the family name under which he achieved fame in the literary world. When His Excellency left Ottawa, he carried colorful sketches of more than 100 "old timers" he expects to meet at different settlements in his journey to and from the Arctic circle.

Way To Identify Criminals

Note Woman's Right Ear And Slant Man Wears Hat

The right ear of a woman and the slant at which a man wears his hat are factors which may serve to identify criminals, Ontario police chiefs were told at their convention in London. Lieut.-Col. S. T. Wood of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, Ottawa, said that in photographing a woman, care should be taken that the right ear was fully exposed.

An Edinburgh thief stole some lead—then sold it back to its owner.

Wonders Of Plastic Surgery

Doctors Have Constructed Eye Sockets Where None Existed

Born with only one eye and with only a few traces of eyelash, where the other eyelids should have been, a 3-year-old New York girl will soon undergo an operation at the Manhattan Eye, Ear and Throat Hospital to equip her with an artificial eye. With the object of eventually appearing as normal as possible the child already has had two operations there.

It is considered a rather unusual case, although many plastic surgery reconstructions of eye sockets have been carried out with varying degrees of success. These operations usually have involved persons injured in accident or in battle.

Eighteen months ago the same surgeon who will do the next operation broke the "seal" of the closed eyelids. In his second operation, about a year ago, he transplanted some mucous membrane from inside the little girl's cheek to the unlined socket to make a "pocket" to hold the new eye. He also constructed upper and lower eyelids out of the skin where the regular eyelids should have been.

The third operation will include grafting another tissue flap from some other part of the child's body to improve the lids and deepen the eyeball "pocket." The surgeon expressed optimism concerning the chances of materially improving the child's appearance. Eyelashes will be made, he said, probably from the girl's eyebrows.

The actual insertion of the artificial eye will not take place for some time, after the operation, to give the tissues a chance to heal.

One Way To Peace

Is For People To Understand Other Fellow's Viewpoint

"Me and 'Im," the article by the Rev. W. H. Elliott, has brought the following communication from G. T. Woodland of Thos. Cook and Son, Ltd., the famous travel agency:

"The whole of our experience bears out the truth of 'Me and 'Im,' so forcefully put by the Rev. W. H. Elliott.

"We are constantly sending parties of tourists to many parts of Europe, and even further afield, and they one and all return with a warm corner in their hearts for the people of the countries they have visited.

"Moreover, I am sure that our people, mixing with inhabitants of foreign lands as freely as they wish, have left with a good impression of the people of the lands.

"The opportunities for this mixing vary somewhat according to the nature of the tour. Some tourists travel independently, others go with escorted tours, using the ordinary railway facilities of the country, and very popular are those grand tours where the traveller has a reserved seat in a special train throughout.

"In all cases there is plenty of free time to see something of the ordinary, everyday-life of the people.

"A friendly smile and a kindly word soon open the way to a little entente, and in surprisingly few cases are there any language difficulties.

"They soon get down to the terms of 'me and 'im,' and without doubt that is all to the good in the cause of peace."

New Mining Discovery

Find Nickel, Platinum And Gold In H.B. Area

A new mining development is under way near Ranken inlet, on the west coast of Hudson Bay, 240 miles north of Churchill, Man., the Winnipeg Free Press stated in a newspaper story. Minerals discovered comprise nickel, platinum, gold and copper.

Should tests already made be substantiated by further exploration work, an expenditure of from \$40,000,000 to \$50,000,000 may be undertaken, the paper said.

Several months ago, drilling equipment was downed in front of the New York mining and financial interests are reported behind the development scheme.

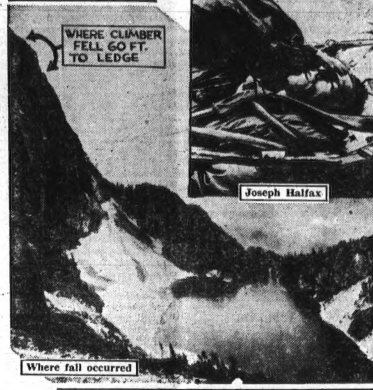
For New Speed Record

Captain G. E. T. Eynon, British racing motorist, will attempt a new world speed record in September on the Salt Lake beds of Utah. The car will be his own design with side-by-side engines and enclosed wheels. Sir Malcolm Campbell holds the record with a speed of 301.12 miles an hour also attained on the salt beds in the United States.

The new cafeteria of the Interior building in Washington is equipped with 12,120 pieces of silver, 26,100 pieces of china, and will use 6,000 paper napkins daily.

The island of Guernsey, famous the world over for its dairy cattle, contains 24 square miles. 2213

CLIMBER FALLS DOWN MOUNTAINSIDE



Serious head injuries and a broken leg were suffered by Joseph Halfax, daring mountain climber, shown last after his rescue, when he fell 60 feet down the side of a mountain near Seattle and landed on a rocky ledge.

Heavy Fighting Plane

U.S. Has New Plane Said To Be Most Effective In The World

The United States army is ready to send into the air what it terms the most formidable fighting plane in the world—a monoplane for combat in the sub-stratosphere.

The new five-seater fighter, being prepared for test flights at Buffalo, N.Y., is a radical departure from previous military designs.

The all-metal, armored plane is a twin-motored "pusher" (with propellers behind the wings), carries six machine guns and light bombs, and has new devices to increase its speed and fighting power.

The war department said the plane had been designed to cope with the "giant bombing planes of the flying fortress type now flying in the leadership of the world." The department said: "An essential quality in an air destroyer is the ability to strike with power when it has engaged its prey. This plane answers with six guns, more powerful armament than ever before carried on a fighter."

MAKE THIS MODEL AT HOME—SHIRTBOCK'S BECOMING TO EVERY TYPE

By Anne Adams



"Way in the fashion lead for mid-Summer and Autumn, this striking Anne Adams shirtwaister fits for a busy season of home, school, and office wear! Imagine how chic you'll be in this crisp version of gay seersucker, striped shirting, novelty cotton, synthetic, or the silk. You'll be flattered by that youthful Peter Pan collar, front-button bodice, pocket, and action pleated skirt. Too, you've saved contrasting ties and belt to delight your heart. So easy to make is Pattern 4459, that you'll want to make several versions.

Pattern 4459 is available in misses' and women's sizes 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30 and 32. Size 16 takes 3 1/2 yards 36 inch fabric and 1/2 yard 2 inch ribbon. The illustrated step-by-step sewing instructions are included.

Send twenty cents (20c) in coin or stamps (coin preferred) for gay Anne Adams pattern. Write plainly Size, Name, Address and Style Number, and send order to The Anne Adams Pattern Dept., Winnipeg, Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Ave. E., Winnipeg.

Keeping To The Right

Is Custom Used By Opposing Forces In Ancient Warfare

As the vast majority of pedestrians may be trusted to look carefully before stepping off the pavement into the roadway, whether they are facing the traffic or not, it is necessary to legislate for the very few careless ones by altering the long-established and natural custom of keeping right? Based, it would seem, on the instinct of self-preservation, people have been prone always to keep to that side. While the left, and more vulnerable side of the body, was naturally protected by a shield, the right hand and side were kept clear so as not to be hampered in drawing the sword or defense or attack. Was there not a tendency in ancient warfare for opposing forces to edge away to the right when approaching each other, which further illustrates the natural defense? An interesting survival is to be seen in the marriage service, when at the conclusion, the bride walks away on her husband's left side, instead of occupying the post of honor on his right hand, clearly that his right hand may be free to defend her, if needs be. The time seems almost overdue for any regulation to be issued, but one can only hope that if anything is done, the old custom of keeping to the right will be maintained.—Letter in London Times.

Are Always Air-Minded

Young Bats Taken Aloft By Mother When Day Old

Offspring of the only mammal capable of genuine flight, young bats become air-minded from birth. For on the first evening after their entry into the world in some crevice or cave, the tiny helpless youngsters are taken aloft clinging to their mother's fur as with the swiftness and skill of a swallow she hawks her meal of minute insects through the darkness of early night.

Should she tire of this transport her babies, she hurls her tiny brood beneath the leafy protection of a branch, returning to give them the solace of her body, while she in turn hangs head downward by the claws of the "rhombus" on her forearm, her diminutive hind feet throughout the majority of the 24 hours, her wings folded as a fan is closed.—Calgary Herald.

Empire Market Board

Is To Be Revived For The Benefit Of The Colonies

The empire market board, abolished in 1933, is to be revived for the benefit of the colonies.

The announcement comes from W. Ormsby-Gore, colonial secretary, who declared the colonial empire had suffered a serious loss when the market board was closed down.

Economic conditions in the colonies had improved beyond all expectations, the minister added.

The empire marketing board was dissolved when certain dominions declined to contribute toward the upkeep of the machinery, estimated at \$2,000,000 annually. Some of the board's work has since been continued by independent bodies.

Telescopes reveal that there are many thousands of stars inside the bowl of the Big Dipper.

What better combination to look for in a man than an open mind and a closed mouth?

The United Kingdom has 6,000 women doctors in active practice.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

AUGUST 1

GOD LEADS A PEOPLE

Golden text: The Lord will guide thee continually. Isaiah 58:11.
Lesson: Exodus 13:17—15:21.
Devotional Reading: Psalm 37:1-7.

Explanations And Comments

From Egypt to the Red Sea, Exodus 13:17—14:2. Now when the Pharaoh let the people go, God did not lead them along the road to the land of the Philistines, although that lay close at hand, for God thought that perhaps the people might have regretted and return to Egypt, if they had to fight their way as God led the people by a roundabout road in the direction of the desert, toward the Red Sea. The Israelites left Egypt in an orderly array. (Moffatt's translation).

Moses took the bones of Joseph with him; you remember Joseph had directed that to be done. What greater proof than the presence with them of the mummy of Joseph in its sarcophagus could the people have had of their leader's faith in their eventual settlement in Canaan?

And Jehovah went before them by day in a pillar of cloud, to lead them the way, and by night in a pillar of fire, to give them light. Cloud and fire were symbols of His presence with them.

The Pursuit of Pharaoh's Forces, Exodus 14:3-9. When the Israelites were gone, a revulsion of feeling came over the Egyptians. "What is this that we have done that we have let Israel go from serving us?" they questioned. And Pharaoh (or his representative) started off in hot pursuit, taking with him "six hundred chosen chariots, and all the chariots of Egypt, and captains over all of them, and his army."

The Israelites could easily be overtaken and captured, the pursuers thought, for were they not "entangled in the land, as in by the wilderness?"

The Crossing of the Red Sea and the Destruction of the Egyptian Host, Exodus 14:15-31. Moses had kept a brave front before the people, and had assured them of God's help. Then suddenly he said, "Behold the need of fresh assurance of God's presence with them, and he besought God's aid. He said, 'O Lord, thou art well as assured. "Wherefore criest thou unto me? Speak unto the children of Israel, saying, 'Behold I have brought you forth from Egypt, and have said, 'I will be a father to the fatherless, and a husband to the widow. It was a time for action, not petition. The children of Israel crossed over in the night, and when the Egyptians pursued, the waters returned and overwhelmed them."

How Jehovah saved Israel that day out of the hand of the Egyptians; and Israel saw the Egyptians dead upon the sea floor. And Israel saw the great work which Jehovah did to the Egyptians, and the people feared Jehovah, and in his servant Moses.

Letters To The Editor

Correspondent In U.S. Has Sent 78,000 Missives

A certain Mr. Charles Hooper, of Coeur d'Alene, Ida., has created a peculiar record. He is the world's champion writer of "letters to the editor." To date he has written 78,000 such missives, and has been sent, not only to editors in the United States, but also to France, Germany, Italy and Spain. All letters are written in the language of the country in which they are printed.

It is easy to incur the criticism of being a busybody merely by writing to editors, but Mr. Hooper doesn't care. He knows why newspapers are taken aloft clinging to letters—the reason being that people like an open forum for discussion—and he has decided to make use of them. It is better than making one's views around a stove. We take off our hats to Mr. Hooper.—Hamilton Spectator.

Makes Holiday Enjoyable

British Premier Gets Expenses For Week-Ends At Chequers

The question of holidays with pay may worry some people but never Mr. Neville Chamberlain, who, as Prime Minister, finds himself in the odd position of getting extra pay when he goes to Chequers for the week-end. According to the Chequers Estate Act of 1917 the Prime Minister receives a special expenses fee of £15 for every week-end he spends at his official country house. That means that he can add £750 to his income by the simple process of going to Chequers every week.—Glasgow Bulletin.

Court Has Man Puzzled

Fined Him For Blowing And Not Blowing His Horn

Walter D. Murphy of Boston, is puzzled.

District Court Judge John Duff fined him \$1 for blowing his horn unnecessarily and disturbing people, and then levied a fine of \$2 against Walter for not blowing his horn.

The Judge told Walter motorists must learn to use good judgment. Murphy, the Judge said, decided that he had a right to begin sounding your horn after the emergency was over.

In Switzerland, melting glaciers pour the chief means of water power which supplies the country with electricity.

Health LEAGUE of CANADA

presents

TOPICS of VITAL INTEREST

by DR. J. W. S. McCULLOUGH

ARTICLE No. 3
CAUSE OF CANCER

Now definite cause of cancer is known. There are some predisposing causes of the affection. One of these predisposing causes is age. Only ten per cent. of all cancer occur under the age of 35. Ninety per cent. of all cases of malignant disease is found in persons who have passed the age of 35. The latter period is called the "cancer age." The reason for this is known. It probably rests in the tendency for control of cells being less effective in persons of middle life. Another predisposing cause of high importance in respect to cancer is that a great variety of irritants are in a person predisposed to cancer, air, dirt, a cancerous growth.

Among the commoner irritants which cause the growth of cancer are: tar, soot, which is a form of tar, certain lubricating oils, tobacco smoke, the fumes of kerosene, another tar; chemicals such as arsenic, the effect of strong sunlight, strong winds and dust; of a jagged tooth in the mouth, dirty teeth, ill-fitting dentures, burns from any cause, too hot foods, and almost any conceivable form of irritation long-continued. Temporary irritation has little effect in the production of cancer; the cause of irritation must be long-continued.

Diet, civilization and race are not believed to be provocative of cancer. Cancer is not hereditary like diabetes and pernicious anaemia, but undoubtedly some persons are more predisposed to cancer than others. Because a person's parents or close relatives have died of cancer is no reason why the individual will have it. Nor is cancer caused by a germ such as the cause of tuberculosis, contagious disease or another. Cancer is neither contagious nor infectious. Nurses and doctors, constantly in contact with cancer patients, do not contract the disease from them. There are no such things as cancer houses. There are instances in which cancer has resulted from the effect of a parasite. But it is the irritation produced by the parasite that causes cancer to arise. Cancer is not in the family.

While articles of food do not cause cancer there may be something to be said about the manner in which one eats the food. The food is imperfectly chewed, taken too rapidly, washed down without proper mixing with the saliva, may act as an irritant to the digestive tract and thus provoke cancer. The great frequency of stomach cancer—one-third of all cancers in man—seems to indicate that the way food is used, may have something to do with the cause of stomach cancer.

Article No. 4 will be "How Does Cancer Spread?"

Advantage Of Camping

Life In The Open Teaches Children To Be Useful

Life in the open teaches these youngsters self-reliance, it develops initiative and adds to the joy of living—particularly when there is little interference—beyond the necessary supervision—from grown-ups.

But perhaps the greatest advantage is the spirit of unselfishness which camping develops. Pleasure comes from what one does for others, not in what fellow campers do for you, and every camper is likely to learn this the first day under canvas. It is in camp that a boy or girl learns better than anywhere else perhaps the art of how to "fit in." And, above all, to make friends. There lies the answer to successful camping—the ability to get along with companions. The sooner this lesson is learned the smoother will be the pathway through life.—Calgary Herald.

Appointed To Manitoba Post

Prof. H. C. Elter, graduate of Columbia University, New York, and University of British Columbia, was named superintendent of education for Manitoba and will undertake new duties created by 1937 Manitoba legislation which provided for re-organization of the department of education.

Spain has 50,000 gypsies within her boundaries.

THE YELLOW BRIAR

A Story of the Irish on the Canadian Countryside

By PATRICK SLATER

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CHAPTER VIII.—Continued

Mrs. Marshall brought out Bob's pan of porridge. The dog wagged his long, tipped brush; but stood back, acting nervous and strangely distrustful. He had no intention of being tied up again.

"Well, Bob, you scoundrel, be off after the cows," said Marshall, as he stepped into the house for his breakfast.

The dog whined once or twice in a fretful, bothered sort of way; and then trotted off round the front of the house.

Late that afternoon he was seen again, standing out in the lane. His coat was soaked; and he had the hungry, furtive look of a stray, tramp dog.

The Marshalls talked about him at the supper table.

"You know, Nancy," Mr. Marshall remarked in his quiet, hesitating sort of way, "the Brechons are talking about dogs worrying their sheep. I saw another dog round here the other day"—and the man paused at the ugly thought—"you don't think the two of them might be . . . ? I saw some suspicious stains on his . . ."

"Oh! no," Mrs. Marshall objected, "indeed no! Bob would not be doing the like of that."

It became apparent that evening that the collic was laboring under distress of some kind. He was whining and whimpering, and running up and down the lane. Yet he snarled if anyone approached him.

"That dog has gone clean out of his head," said Mrs. Marshall. "Not a spark of sense has he! You better chain him up, William."

"Just catch him for me and I will," her husband told her; and he swung himself into the saddle on his old gun. Bob's shoulder had bristled. His long slim snout went up in the air; and he gave the long drawn, high-pitched cry the hills of Mono had often heard. It was the wild, howling howl of a wolf-like calling his mates. The dog wheeled and ran toward the road.

"I think, Nancy, the dog wants me," said Marshall, "I'll be back for the milking."

And William Marshall trotted the old mare down the lane after the excited dog. It was the time the wild pigeons were uniting their flocks for the migration south. In the forest lands that nestled within the hills of the Great Lakes, the wild grapes were ripe; and beechnuts littered the ground. Dense clouds of the plump, fearless, fluttering birds hung in the air, and swung low down over the rider in a wild, reckless, whirling mass of life.

With every evidence of relief, Bob waited for the horseman at the lane gate; and the two of them trotted off down the road together. Quite a ways down, a rough corduroy bridge crossed the trout creek; and just before that point the dog turned aside from the roadway and followed a snake rail fence that climbed up through a heavy wooded knoll. Marshall threw the reins over the horse's head and followed the dog. It was the late afternoon of a beautiful autumnal day. The squirrels in the grove of old beech trees were chiding Bob for disturbing their industry among the beech and hickory nuts.

Marshall found the dog pulling and whining at some object that lay hidden behind a mound a great decayed log had made. For yards around, the dog's feet had padded down the black mould and packed it flat and firm as a beaten path.

No cows were milked at the Marshall farm that night. Yes, Bob had found his bed, but he had found him sleeping in a twilight that does not rise or set.

Edwards had pushed on quickly with the stolen team by way of Hamilton; and he was arrested at the border. In those days, all the desperate man needed was an extra

day or two to carry him 50 miles south to practical safety. It was another crime committed on the impulse of the moment. Charlie had seen a fat, black squirrel on the snake fence; and, grabbing one of the guns, had run over to take a shot at him. With the other gun, Edwards had followed for the fun of the thing. And there being no one by, the devil tempted the wretched man with the team of horses. As Charlie knelt to take aim, the man shot the boy's brains out.

It was indeed a terrible tragedy to the whole countryside; and neighbors and relations from far and near poured in to sympathize with the poor mother and family. I went around with William Marshall arranging to get the grave dug, and things like that. No one seemed to pay much attention to the father; because, between men, grief is always inarticulate. But he was the one I was sorry for. After the affair was all over, I found him one day sitting alone out in the barn; and the tears were coursing down his rough, rugged face. In a sort of an apologetic way, he took my hand in his, and the two of us lay down in the straw together. We had a fine cry, and it did us both a lot of good. The truth is William Marshall's heart was broken. The miserable man, Edwards, had destroyed two lives, that of the only son and that of his wife.

It was a happening of the long ago; and a simple old man cannot raise the moonbeams playing on the waters of fancy to give with convincing detail an account of a senseless and wanton tragedy that caused many a Mono mind to doubt for the moment that the Methodist God was in his heavens and attending to his business.

In his funeral sermon, Rev. Mr. Clarke got over this difficulty by taking for his text the resolute cry of a brilliant old man, who was sorely afflicted: "Though He slay me, yet will I trust in Him; nevertheless I will maintain my own ways before Him."—Job XIII.15. That text—and particularly the latter part of it—always seemed to me to express the true essence of Methodism before wealth corrupted it. The Reverend C. M. Clarke was an ambitious young preacher, but the stationing committee had given him another charge. At the age of 28, black diphtheria promoted him from the hills of Mono to the way of all truth.

Oh! yes! they hanged Edwards; and it was a stroke of justice. The law made out of its part of the killing on that occasion. The hangman had too much slack on his rope; and, in the end, a loose twist caught under the felon's arm. Edwards' body was swung there until the hangman hitched down the rope and loosed the bit to let the noose get a proper choking grip on the man's neck. The law with its hanging only lengthened out of the tragedy and added to the weight of it.

A grain of dust will spoil the working of the finest watch a craftsman ever made. And why not admit that, on a public impulse, the human mind sometimes also goes out of order? It is nothing other of the pitying mercy of God that stays the horrible impulses that surge, one time or another, through the brain of a silly saint since J. B. the law made out of its part of the killing on that occasion. The hangman had too much slack on his rope; and, in the end, a loose twist caught under the felon's arm. Edwards' body was swung there until the hangman hitched down the rope and loosed the bit to let the noose get a proper choking grip on the man's neck. The law with its hanging only lengthened out of the tragedy and added to the weight of it.

I confess to Almighty God, to blessed Mary, ever Virgin, to blessed Michael the Archangel, to blessed John the Baptist, to the holy Apostles Peter and Paul, and to all the Saints, that I have sinned exceedingly in thought, word, and deed, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault. Therefore I beseech blessed Mary, ever Virgin, blessed Michael the Archangel, blessed John the Baptist, the holy apostles, Peter and Paul, and all the Saints, to pray to the Lord our God for me.

May the Almighty God have mercy on me, forgive me my sins, and bring me to everlasting life. Amen.

May the Almighty and merciful Lord grant me pardon, absolution, remission of all my sins. Amen.

CHAPTER IX.

The seasons press upon the farmer, each with its special throng of work, and do not loiter to give simple country hearts the time to grieve. The winter set in shrewdly in the first of '94; and for hours early in the mornings the snow fell in drifting flakes to block the roads in the hills of Mono and add greatly to

the winter labor of teaming the grain out to market. The crop on the Marshall farm that season had yielded 1,500 bushels of fall wheat of high milling quality; and, as a result of the road conditions, this grain was laid down the fifth line and stored till the spring in Isaac Chaffee's warehouse at Tullamore.

On a farm, in those days, it was usually the boss himself who hauled his grain to market. The rest of us had a highly-peddled job of it, cleaning and sacking the wheat that another load might be ready by the time his returning sleighs tinkled up the lane. In the cold, blue, starry glare before the dawn on a snowy night, Mr. Marshall would bundle himself up in fur coat and blankets, and again head a fresh team on the eighteen mile lug. I assisted matters by taking a part of his load over the hilly north end of the road where the going was specially heavy; and, for the purpose of this three-mile lift, it was necessary, of course, to bestir the tired, sleeping team of yesterday out of their comfortable dreams of mountains of hay and oats and of pleasant valleys where the sweet and tender blue grass grows. Owing to my trip being a short one, I was careless about wrapping myself up snugly, and I often came back stiff and half-frozen.

(To Be Continued)

Religion And Health

Right Living Tends To Result In A Sound Body

Paul, Spinoza, Emerson and Robert Louis Stevenson as examples who greatly achieved in spite of ill-health are cited by Rt. Rev. Peter Bryce, D.D., Moderator for the United Church of Canada, in "Health," the magazine of the Health League of Canada. Dr. Bryce also mentions Kagawa, "the amazing evangelist of the slums of Japan, who ignores his disease and works incessantly."

But for the multitude there is a connection between health and religion, according to this eminent churchman. "Health," he says, "is often the necessary preliminary to religious living," and he gives examples to prove the argument.

Conversely, he points out that a religious life makes for health. "Many of the modern diseases," writes Dr. Bryce, "are traceable to vicious living that is utterly irreligious. The plagues of history were in many cases due to wickedness and sinfulness. There is an increasing intelligence that is perceiving the connection between a life that obeys the laws of God and consequent health of body and mind. The Christian religion seeks wholeness in the lives of men. It does not exalt one part of the life above another.

"The Christians in Theosophical received a letter from Paul in which he had written 'May God Himself who gives peace may you entirely holy; and may your spirits, souls and bodies be preserved complete and be blessed blameless.' . . . That is the aim of the Christian faith—holiness, healthfulness, wholeness of the life. The Great Physician healed the sick and the healed ones became His followers. He taught the way of wholeness of life and the learners of the way went out to do heroic things strong in body, strong in courage and patience, and achievers of great things for the world's good. The religion of Jesus Christ makes for the health of those who live it."

Weighing The Earth

New Type Of Pendulum Used By American Scientist

An American scientist has now invented a new type of pendulum for calculating the weight of the earth and his latest figure puts the weight at 6,576,000,000,000,000,000 tons.

The pendulum consists of four small balls of platinum fixed on the corners of a square and mounted on a frame so that they can rotate. Mounted outside are two larger balls, also made of platinum, and when the frame is spinning it gives index figures from which the earth's weight can be calculated.

So delicate is the apparatus that it is upset if anyone walks around the laboratory in which it is housed. It can only be used late at night when street traffic vibration is at a minimum.—Pearson's Weekly.

Knows What It Means

Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt knows what it means to be at a loss for words. The words were lost—literally. A whole sheet of her radio script was missing when the president-elect, who was broadcasting, turned to page nine. She became, temporarily, speechless. Then the program went on smoothly once more. Some body rushed over another page nine.

The Big Tree of California—Sequoia gigantea—largest of living trees, produces cones two to three inches in length, each carrying about 200 seeds.

Romance Of The North

Canada's Governor-General Takes Mackenzie River Trip To The Arctic

There is an element of romance in all great rivers. Rivers beckon to be away; to float placidly into new climates; to take the adventures of the unknown. It was the lure of the great St. Lawrence which led the early explorers of the French regime into the heart of Canada. It was the promise of the Nelson which opened a way to the Selkirk settlers more than a century ago into the center of the continent. By the Pacific sea the broad mouth of the Fraser opened a brief highway into the gates of the Rockies. And, in the far north, the Mackenzie, most placid and most majestic of them all, has held for ages the secrets of the silent land through which it flows.

Perhaps it is something of this romance of big rivers which has induced His Excellency Lord Tweedsmuir, Governor-General of Canada, a man associated with romance in his literary life as well as with administration and the problems of government, to select the Mackenzie River trip from Alberta to the Arctic as one of the outstanding events of his 1937 program. Leaving Edmonton His Excellency will travel by rail to the head of water navigation, where he will take boat at Waterways, Alberta, the terminus of the Northern Alberta Railway, and from that point the entire downstream trip of 1,600 miles will be made through the rich but little-developed valley of the Mackenzie and its tributaries. The return trip will be made by air in one of the Canadian Air Force machines, and if weather and other conditions permit the Governor-General will sail from the direct route to visit the Great Bear Lake area, which in recent years has become famous as a source of radium, and in which mining operations for radium, silver and other by-products, are conducted on an extensive scale.

Seeking Common Title

Movement Started To Address All Women As Madam

A movement to abolish the title of "Mrs." of women on the grounds that it is an unfair distinction, has been started in London. The originator of the idea is Mrs. F. P. West, West Leicestershire. She was a leader of the suffragette movement in its early days. The terms "Mrs." and "Miss" are unnecessary, she feels because bachelor girls who scorn marriage for careers see no reason why they should advertise their single state when they are introduced to business circles. Similarly some married women object to being called "Mrs." on the grounds that it destroys their individuality.

The proper way to address every woman over the age of 21, Mrs. Pethick feels, is by the title "Madam."

A strong supporter of her views is Miss A. M. P. of the National Union of Women Teachers. It would save a lot of trouble, she has stated in an interview, if women could find some common title equivalent to Mr.

To Replace The Daisy

Doctor Believes New Gadget Will Tell People's Thoughts

According to the Literary Digest, Dr. Phillips Thomas of Pittsburgh, research chemist, believes he has solved the problem of love. He has a new gadget which will replace daisies in the age-old "She loves me—she loves me not" pluckfest. "In the near future," he said, "we may be able to capture and interpret these radiations of personality and thoughts through electrical impulses. Every thought that flashes through the human mind or even the slightest mental or physical movement has a meaning, so far as its interpretation by electricity is concerned."

A Gigantic Skull

Will Be Exhibited At New York World's Fair

One of the more gruesome but enlightening features of the New York World's Fair will be a gigantic model of a skull, large enough for exploration parties to walk through and gain knowledge of their intracranial anatomy. Visitors will be able to walk over the teeth and see just how they are embedded in the jaw. Another exhibit being plotted by the geniuses of the fair is a model of the human eye into which curious citizens may walk and produce pupillary contractions and expansions by yanking on levers.—Literary Digest.

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A Scheme That Worked

Meek-Looking Man Knew How To Handle British Colonel

A typical, peppery old colonel, home from India, decided to walk down to the local hostelry for a drink before going to bed. He called for a double whisky and joined the company in the saloon bar.

Before very long a meek-looking little man called to the landlord to have the empty glasses removed. "Take away the empties, George!" he called. "They're like the British Army."

This was too much for the soldier. Jumping up, he demanded an explanation and an immediate apology for this insult. Things looked bad for the little man.

However, with a smile the offender faced the colonel. "There was no insult, sir," he said calmly. "I said those empty glasses were like the British Army. So they are. They have done their duty and they're ready to do it again."

The colonel hastily paid for the next round.—The Legation.

A new machine that holds broken arms and legs while plaster casts are being applied is asserted to insure more accurate setting of bones than possible with other methods.

Eagles use bits of green twigs to decorate the rim of their nest. When the color fades, fresh twigs are laid on.

Little Helps For This Week

A new commandment I give unto you, that ye love one another. John 13:34.

Let love through all my conduct shine. An image fair, though faint, of Thee.

Thus let thy life discipline words. Who came to manifest Thy love.

We should arrive at a fullness of love extending to the whole creation, a desire to impart, to pour out in full and copious streams the love and goodness we bear to all around us. Goodness and love mould the form into their own image, and cause the joy and beauty of love to shine forth. When this form of love is seen it appears ineffably beautiful, and delights the inmost life of the soul.

Not Just A Business

The Vermilion, South Dakota, Plain Talk says farming after all is not just a business where pork and butterfat and hay and potatoes are produced. It is a way of life; and a desirable way of life when advantage is taken of the opportunity to make the home attractive, pleasant and comfortable.

Sloth makes all things difficult, but industry all easy; and he that rieth late must toil all day, and shall scarce overtake his business at night, said Benjamin Franklin.

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J. S. Woodsworth, M.P., has been elected president of the C.C.F.

Mrs. Ethel Gordon, of Hillcrest, is attending the annual Farm Women's Week at the Olds agricultural college.

The Blaimore Canucks will meet Coleman in a baseball league fixture at the local diamond this evening at 6.15.

A skunk stamps the ground with its forefoot when angry. It also leaves an impression on the bottom of a car when run over.

A revolution or civil war in Alberta would find practically everyone of Alberta's citizens within the province but Mr. Aberhart. He wouldn't dare stay and take his medicine.

Mrs. Pete Wasonok, who has been holidaying here at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Angus McDonald, is spending a few days this week with the Wasonok family at Fernie.

Local and General Items

The Editor will be pleased to receive items for this section, regarding visitors entertained, parties, holidays or short trips, bridge parties, teas, etc. Please items in to 11 or hand them in at The Enterprise office no later than Wednesday evening.

Miss Bessie Oliver left by Monday's train for Boston.

The Safeway store at Cranbrook carries a half-page ad in the weekly newspaper.

Mingle a little folly with your wisdom. A little nonsense now and then is pleasant.

Mrs. Wilfred Wheatley is down from Trail on a visit to her father, Mr. L. Houbregs.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy McKay are spending a week's vacation with relatives at Great Falls, Montana.

Councillor and Mrs. Allan Hamilton left on Tuesday for a vacation in the mountains.—Drumheller Plaindealer.

Inspector T. B. Hutchings, of Lethbridge, visited the local detachment of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police on Tuesday.

Misses Bessie and Mildred Passmore were down from Cranbrook this week on a visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen A. Passmore.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Hutton and sons George and Gordon, of Bellevue, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Perry last week.—Strathmore Standard.

Miss Mae Maltman, of the Cranbrook high school staff, is resigning to accept a similar position in the high school at Fernie, her home town.

William Carswell has returned to his home in Glasgow, Scotland, after a two months' visit with his sister-in-law, Mrs. Alan Carswell, at Lundbreck.

Rev. A. E. Larke returned the early part of the week from Calgary, where he had been supplying in the pulpit of Knox United church for the past two Sundays.

Twenty-five years ago the Michel Reporter opened a matrimonial agency, to bring palpitating young hearts in conjugation for the mere joy of increasing the available supply of possible subscribers.

The press is now being blamed by Mr. Aberhart as responsible for the falling off of tourist traffic through this province. Very soon he will blame the Bible for his damage to the province of Alberta.

Rev. A. S. Partington and family left yesterday for the Nelson, B. C. district, where they will spend their annual holidays. There will be no services in St. Luke's church until the first Sunday in September.

Short short story told a few days ago: Two men, Wood and Stone, were standing at Thompson's corner. A pretty girl walked by. "Wood turned to Stone. Stone turned to Wood. They both turned to rubber and the girl turned into a post office.

Falling off a moving truck near Fernie on Saturday, Joseph Shaw, captain of the Kimberley mine rescue team, suffered a nasty scalp wound. The truck, loaded with mine equipment, was making a turn, when a large package tilted, causing the accident.

Albert Morgan, aged 61, of Fernie, was found dead in bed at Corbin on Wednesday morning of last week. Mr. Morgan left Fernie on Monday afternoon for a week's fishing trip at Corbin. It is presumed he died from a heart attack. He is survived by his wife and four children.

J. M. Windsor, who returned from a motor trip through Banff National Park and on to Kalispell and over the Logan Pass to Waterton Lakes, gave an interesting talk thereon. He said the roads in Alberta were not as bad as pictured by the daily press and he deplored such publicity as it meant a loss to the province in tourist traffic.—High River Times.

Miss Olga Yanota is down from Calgary on a visit to her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Chardon left on Sunday on a motor holiday to the Pacific coast.

Miss Minnie Houbregs was up from Lethbridge this week on a visit with her relatives in the district.

Thompson's sale, which opened on Saturday and is continuing for two weeks, is being well patronized.

Rev. J. L. Wright, Mrs. Wright and the family are here for a month's holiday at the ranch.—Spring Point note.

S. J. Sargent returned from a business visit to Calgary on Tuesday morning, and will likely continue on to California this week end.

Mrs. T. Kemp and Mrs. Joe Mison and their children, of Blaimore, and Mrs. Blake and children, of Bellevue, are camping at Waterton Park.

When it comes to branding the press as "liars," the premier should recall his own remarks: "People in glass houses should not throw stones."

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McDougall and son Donald have been holiday visitors to Nelson, B.C., where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Linville.

Miss Irene James, of Coleman, has accepted a position as teacher at Coaldale. The Coaldale board had to consider no less than 150 applications for the position.

Mrs. Harry Hughes passed away at Michel on Wednesday last week. Her husband was on the police force in Fernie some twenty years ago, and the family are well known there.

Misses Mary and Nancy Pask, of the city, have gone to Hillcrest, where they will spend their holidays at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sten Hockak.—Cranbrook Courier.

We asked a guy the other day when he expected to receive his first dividend, and he answered: "Seventeen hundred years after Aberhart is knighted." Well, that's about the best guess yet.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cox, of Pincher Creek, announce the engagement of their elder daughter, Doris Margaret, to Mr. Albert H. Bishop, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Bishop, of Okotoks, the marriage to take place in September.

A quiet ceremony took place at Lethbridge recently, when Miss Sophia, daughter of Mr. J. Kovach, of Passburg, became the bride of Mr. Frank Weber, of Blaimore. The young couple have taken up residence in Blaimore.

The power of the press is simply wonderful. A few months ago a local guy remarked to us: "That damn boulevard would have been removed long ago if you hadn't said anything about it in The Enterprise." Probably for the same reason Mr. Aberhart did nothing with the Alberta roads.

Pending appeal to the Court of Appeal, Vincent Macchione, sentenced to death for the murder of Michael Hudock near Fernie on February 9, 1936, was granted a reprieve by Mr. Justice Manson, trial judge, from August 5th to November 5th. The appeal will be heard in September.

Mrs. A. F. Grady was the victim of an automobile accident near Cranbrook, B. C., about two weeks ago while enroute to Vancouver for a vacation.

In order to avoid an approaching car, the bus in which she was riding swerved to one side and it is believed that the loose gravel caused the bus to turn over on its side. Mrs. Grady was the only one of the passengers who sustained any injuries, she receiving a cut on her arm and a badly bruised side.—Maced Gazette.

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A little fish: A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Trout, at Byemore, Alberta, on July 19th.

The provincial relief branch has been transferred to the health branch, with Hon. Dr. W. W. Cross minister in charge.

Joint caucuses of Communists and Social Crediters is a new idea in Alberta. Why not also "co-operate" with the Nazis?

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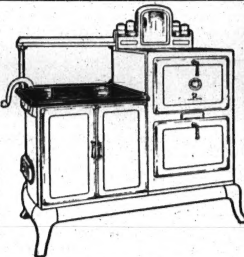
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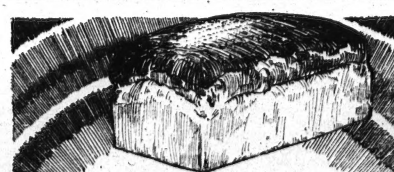
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